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SLIP IS BLAMED FOR EARTHQUAKE FELT YESTERDAY

Geological and Seismographic Experts Say Movement of Ocean Bed Off West Coast of United States Was Responsible for Remarkable Temblor—Widely Recorded

EARTH'S SHIFTING OF CENTRE CREDITED WITH DISTURBANCE

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The earth, in its whirl through space, got off centre a few moments today and shifted its "poles" or axis to fit the new centre of gotation.

Then, that it might not be travelling on a "flat wheel," so to speak, a few million tons of solid rock, somewhere off the western coast of the United States, in the bed of the Pacific Ocean, "slipped a millimeter and a half to even things up."

This is the manner in which professors of geology and seismographic observers account for the violent earth vibrations which demoralized instruments in observatories today. Thus far the exact location of the huge "slip" has not been determined, although observers from Washington, D.C., to Berkeley, Cal., agree it probably was a few hundred miles off the mouth of the Columbia River.

Absence of a record disrupton of the visible surface of the earth or of the huge tidal waves which usually radiate from the scene of an earthquake, lead observers to believe that the "slip" occurred miles below the bed of the ocean.

Its violence was attested by the quavering seismographs, which in some instances were thrown from the recording rolls, while a "strong machine" at Berkeley was set in motion for the first time in many years.

Readjusting Itself

"No doubt the earth was readjusting itself," said Professor J. J. Lynch, seismograph observer at Fordham University. "About every so often the earth becomes upset, goes off centre, changes its axis, and usually slips. About the same time there is a violent earthquake, a slipping of miles of strata, and we go merrily along again."

The Andes, along the Pacific coast in South America, and the chain of rocky deformations which join the two continents, disappearing into the sea off southern California, are continually lifting, falling and "slipping," according to the seismologist and the geologist.

Many of these disturbances take place in mid-ocean, the only visible evidence being the "sigzag" lines trailed by a seismograph hundreds of miles distant. One of the most notable examples of such a paroxysm took place in December, 1920, and scientists still are puzzling their brains to account for the "lost" earthquake.

Its source of origin never has been definitely established, although it was of such proportions as to shatter instruments thousands of miles away and to send a tidal wave circling the earth. A few days later came news of an earthquake in Kanu province, China, in which 2,000 persons perished. Scientists asserted there probably had been two distinct upheavals, probably on opposite sides of the globe.

Earthquakes "Lost"

"Lost" earthquakes taking place in mid-ocean often cause vast changes in the appearance of the ocean bed which are not discovered for years.

Such earthquakes are frequent near the West Indits and beneath the Pacific westward of the Americas to the chain of sunken mountains which form the Japanese archipelago. The first major catastrophe by earthquake or volcanic eruption which history records was that at Constantinople, in 577, when 10,000 persons perished. Since then there have been twenty such disasters.

The greatest toll of human life was taken in a volcanic upheaval in Yeddo, in 1703, when 190,000 persons lost their lives. More than two centuries later, in 1908, there was the disastrous eruption which buried Messina and 54 other Italian towns, causing the death of 164,000 inhabitants.

University Reports

BERKELEY, Cal., Jan. 31.—A slip of 1½ millimetres in the earth was indicated by the earthquake recording machines at the University of California today, the centre of the vibrations probably being 600 miles northward and on the floor of the ocean.

The "strong motion" machine at the university, which registers only the heaviest shocks, recorded the quake, while the recording pens on the smaller instruments were thrown off the drums. The shock, which began at 5:18½ a.m., and continued until 3 a.m., was peculiar, university authorities said, in that it began abruptly with a sharp shock instead of minor preliminary ones.

CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 31.—The earthquake recorded in all parts of the United States today probably occurred under the Pacific Ocean, off the coast of Washington or Oregon, it was said after thorough reckoning at Harvard University today.

CHICAGO, Jan. 31. — A severe earthquake was recorded on the seismograph at the University of Chicago this morning. The first shock was recorded at 7:23, and it was followed by another at 7:32 a.m.; the distance was estimated approximately 1,970 miles from Chicago.

Johannesburg Miners' Action

LONDON, Jan. 31.—A Johannesburg dispatch to Reuter's says a commando from the Fordaburg quarter of Johannesburg, four hundred strong, visited two shafts of the Crown Mines and warned the officials, who have been carrying on the essential services since the strike of miners, that they were "blacklegging." There was no disturbance, however, and work continued uninterrupted.

MANITOBA HOUSE DEBATES LIQUOR

Effort Is Made to Loosen the Tangle Over Moderation League's Petition for Referendum on Government Sale

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31.—Bent on extricating the Moderation League's petition for a referendum on government controlled liquor stores from the tangle into which it has got in the legislature, J. T. Haig, at this afternoon's session, moved another amendment, which, he claimed, put the proper issue before the House.

The amendment provided that as 53,000 had signed the petition, it should be granted and the question referred to the people.

Hon. Edward Brown, Provincial Treasurer, took the same stand as Mr. Haig, saying there was only one question before the House, and that was whether the petition should be granted or refused.

Though several members demanded that the fate of the petition should be settled at once, the debate was adjourned by H. R. Richardson, of Roblin.

It was announced by Mr. Brown that $223,255 had been collected under the Net Profits Act.

WOMAN KILLED BY HER HUSBAND

Domestic Differences Lead to Tragedy in Vancouver — Little Child and Aged Uncle Are Wounded

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—Mrs. Edward Clegg is dead, her five-year-old son Edward, and an aged uncle, Henry Morgan, are believed to be dying in hospital, and Edward Clegg, the husband and father, is being sought by the police here following a brutal shooting tonight.

The killing and wounding occurred when Clegg, who had been in Seattle for the past three weeks, returned to his home here, and after a few words with his wife, opened fire. The woman fell, shot through the heart, and her uncle, who rushed to her aid, dropped with a bullet through the lungs. Clegg then turned the revolver on his tiny son, who sat at a table, a terrified spectator of tha tragedy, tha bullet lodging in the back of the head, fracturing the skull.

The Clagg family came here from Toronto aight months ago. Soma trouble developed between husband and wife over tha disposal of money realized from tha sale of the Toronto home, owned by Mrs. Clegg, which Clegg induced her to sell. In September she made formal complaint to the authorities that her husband had abused her, and the magistrate bound him over for 12 months to keep tha peace. Clegg went away with tha boy, but his wife succeeded in getting the custody of tha child in October. Soon after this Clegg went to Seattle, and did not return to Vancouver until a few days ago.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 1.—At an early hour this morning, hospital authorities were of the opinion that both Morgan and little Edward Clegg had a good fighting chance for life.

LIVE ISSUES TO GO BEFORE RETAILERS

The Trades Licence By-law, Shops Early Closing Act, the drug stores and Sunday closing, Dollar Day proposals and suggested establishment of an associated charities fund or community chest, are among the matters that will be dealt with by the committee of the Chamber of Commerce on retail merchants' affairs on Thursday.

The committee will hold a dinner at the Dominion Hotel, commencing at 6:15. Those wishing to attend have been asked to notify the Chamber of Commerce.

HANDLING OF CARGOES FOR RUSSIAN RELIEF

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Captain James T. Scott, of Atlanta, Georgia, left today for Reval as special representative of the United States Shipping Board to organize and supervise the handling of cargoes through the Baltic Sea for the American Relief Administration's famine workers in Russia.

Fifteen ships, according to an announcement today by the London offices of the Relief Administration, are bound for Russia, each carrying an average cargo of 250,000 bushels of grain.

WILL SEEK EARLY TAX PAYMENTS

Council to Consider By-Law Authorizing Six Per Cent Discount on Collections Made Prior to Due Date

Believing that early collection of taxes in Victoria represents the most important of all efforts that the city can undertake this year in an endeavor to strengthen its financial position, the Council will consider a by-law at its next meeting to authorize a 6 per cent discount on tax payments made before the due date in the Fall.

If the by-law is approved by the Mayor and aldermen—and there appears to be no doubt that it will be—preparations will be made at once to arouse the whole city through various public and semi-public organizations to the need for early payments in order that the city may meet its indebtedness and pay its way.

Legislation authorizing the 6 per cent discount innovation on which the new by-law is based has been on the statute books for several years, but it has never been utilized.

The Chamber of Commerce, Rotary, Kiwanis and Gyro Clubs and other organizations will be asked by the Council to get behind a general appeal to the taxpayers. The citizens will be told that the Council is doing its best to effect reasonable economies in every department, but that its debt and the unavoidable increases in various channels of expenditure, such as appropriations for the relief of unemployment, make it imperative that the Council shall receive the full co-operation of the taxpayers as a whole in meeting the corporation's financial demands. It will be explained, too, that the early payment plan is not without notable advantages from the standpoint of the taxpayer.

Monthly Payments

The Finance Committee of the Council has been working on various plans for speeding up tax collections, and now feels convinced that the proposal outlined is the most feasible at the present time. Suggestions that the monthly payment system be inaugurated have been considered with favor, but members of the committee hold that this system could not be adopted without making extensive changes in the city's machinery for handling collections. City Treasurer Edwin C. Smith states that enforcement of the monthly payment plan would also necessitate new legislation, and also, if it were to be effective, a change in the city's fiscal year, so as to make the year end on or about June 30. Otherwise, he points out, there would be certain difficulties in the way of computing taxes on a monthly basis.

The course decided upon by the Finance Committee, which will form the basis of the by-law to be dealt with by the Council next Monday, is modelled substantially along the lines laid down in a report made by City Treasurer Smith. The report follows in part:

"The whole object of the plan is to enable the taxpayer to meet his taxes by instalments to suit his own convenience.

"The proposition is that a taxpayer should be allowed to advance to the city any sum of money from one dollar up, and not to exceed in the aggregate the total of the previous year's taxes, on any one lot or lots that he intends to pay taxes for the current year on, and the city to pay him interest at the rate of six per cent per annum on the minimum monthly balance, or at such other rate as has to be paid to the bank which advances against current revenue. The advance to be deposited in respect of the taxes to become due on a certain lot or lots to be named, and the interest to be credited up for the date fixed for the taxes to become due in the year, and not to the last day for discount.

At Payer's Convenience

"The taxpayer to pay into his advance account any day at his convenience.

"When the taxpayer has sufficient to meet his taxes, or if he cannot continue paying so as to pay up in full, a voucher would be issued out of the taxes advance account to the col-

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CONSERVATIVES HOLD MEETING

Representatives of Province in Dominion Parliament and Others Gather for Conference in Vancouver

MR. MEIGHEN ENDORSED AS PARTY'S LEADER

Committee Appointed to Negotiate on Basis for Amalgamation of Dominion and Provincial Branches

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—Under the chairmanship of Senator R. F. Green, British Columbia's Conservative representatives in the Dominion parliament, together with two or three ex-members and defeated candidates, had a conference at the Hotel Vancouver today.

Hon. H. H. Stevens, M. P., was authorized to issue a statement declaring that the leadership of the Right Hon. Arthur Meighen was endorsed and that the name "Liberal-Conservative," the traditional old name of the party as founded by the late Sir John A. Macdonald, was recommended to be restored.

Mr. Stevens also announced that a committee was appointed to confer with the executive of the British Columbia Conservative Association with a view of negotiating the basis for an amalgamation of the two branches of the party in this Province, the part pertaining to Dominion politics and the association which handles purely Provincial issues.

"It was felt," said Mr. Stevens, "that there should be a basis broad enough to permit the two organizations to come together, although we, as a Dominion party, are not desirous of disbanding our own organization. We feel, however, that the party will be stronger if it can be represented all in one organization."

Present at the gathering were Senators Green, S. J. Crowe, A. E. Planta, of Nanaimo; J. D. Taylor, of New Westminster; Hon. H. H. Stevens, Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie, Victoria; C. H. Dickie, M. P. for Nanaimo; J. A. MacKelvie, M. P. for Yale; W. G. McQuarrie, K. C., M. P. for New Westminster; Leon J. Ladner, M. P.; Brig.-Gen. J. A. Clark, M.P.; Dr. S. Bonnell, ex-M. P. for East Kootenay; J. T. Robinson, defeated candidate in Cariboo; Col. R. C. Cooper, ex-M. P.; and H. S. Clement, ex-M. P.

CATTLE IMPORTATION FROM BRITAIN BARRED

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—Owing to a serious outbreak of foot and mouth disease in various parts of Great Britain, an order has been issued by the Department of Agriculture, effective today, prohibiting the importation of all cattle and swine from any part of Great Britain and Ireland.

This will mean the cancellation of several importation permits which had previously been issued allowing the entry of pedigreed stock from Scotland into Canada, as, the disease having been discovered in Scotland, the embargo is also against shipments from that country.

ALLEGED RIOTERS TAKEN AT GLACE BAY

SYDNEY, N.S., Jan. 31.—Five alleged ringleaders were arrested at Glace Bay this afternoon and lodged in the county jail at Sydney tonight as the first step toward vindication of law and order, following the rioting at New Aberdeen, a week ago Saturday and Sunday, in which the Dominion Coal Company stores were looted and goods valued at $75,000 were carried off or destroyed.

Seven or eight additional arrests are expected on Wednesday.

Dittmar Escapes

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—Ludwig Dittmar, whom the Leipzig Supreme Court recently sentenced to four years' imprisonment in connection with the sinking of the Canadian hospital ship Llandovery Castle, during the war, has escaped from the prison at Nuremberg, it became known today. A reward of 50,000 marks has been offered for his recapture.

Slaughter of Jack Rabbits

BEND, Ore., Jan. 31.—Sixty thousand jack rabbits killed in three weeks as the result of eating poison-saturated rye is the record established by state and biological survey employees, who are conducting a campaign against the pests in the Fort Rock Valley, according to announcement here today.

Dead in Houseboat

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 31.—William Roe, aged 80 years, was found dead in a houseboat near the abattoir yesterday. It is believed tha man had been dead for some weeks. Death is assumed by the police to have been due to natural causes.

Want Duty on Honey

SALT LAKE CITY, Jan. 31.—Legislation proposing an amendment to the Fordney tariff bill, which will provide a tariff of at least 3 cents a pound on foreign honey shipped into this country, will be urged by members of the American Honey Producers' League.

Freight Depot Collapses

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—The roof of the Baltimore & Ohio Railway freight depot at First Street and Florida Avenue, N.E., crashed in late today. Eight man had just checked out for the day. It was believed no one was injured.

SINN FEIN LEADERS AIM AT AVOIDANCE OF DIVIDED FORCES

Resolution to Be Discussed at Coming Conference of Association Proposes to Secure Unanimity of Decision in Regard to Dail Eireann's Ratification of Treaty

MANY DELEGATES LIKELY TO ATTEND

New Government Adopts Strong Measures to Further Education—Evacuation by British Troops Proceeds—Sir James Craig and Mr. Collins to Confer Again

DUBLIN, Jan. 31.—One of the resolutions for discussion at the general conference of Sinn Fein association beginning on February 7 provides that in the event of the majority of the delegates endorsing the Dail Eireann ratification of the treaty, all the delegates opposing the treaty shall either fall in with the views of the majority or stand aside and allow the wishes of the majority to prevail.

The resolution adds: "We consider this course of action the only one calculated to save the country from the disaster of a split, which would be ruinous to the best interest of all sections of the people."

Already 800 delegates have been nominated to attend the meeting, but it is probable there will be not less than 1,400.

The new Irish Government has taken strong steps with regard to national education. Irish primary schools hitherto have been controlled by a national board of twenty judges, professors and members of the clergy, half of them Catholic and half Protestant. The board, though appointed by the Chief Secretary for Ireland and financed from the treasury, has acted independently of the Chief Secretary.

Finian Lynch, Minister of Education, has appointed Patrick Bradley as chief executive officer of national education, and Mr. Bradley had notified the board that he will take complete charge and that all the board will have to do is to offer advice.

The board is now considering the situation. Mr. Bradley is an enthusiast for the Gaelic language. He was formerly employed by the board as clerk.

British Forces Leaving

It is announced that more than 12,000 British troops have already evacuated Ireland. Most of the auxiliaries have gone, and the evacuation of 5,000 "Black and Tans" will begin tomorrow. The disbandment of the Royal Irish Constabulary and the substitution of a popular police force is contemplated. It is probable that some of the existing forces will be re-embodied in the new organization, and that the cost of compensation of the dismissed men will fall on Ireland. The cost of compensating the dismissed "Black and Tans" will fall upon Britain under the peace treaty.

Administration Costs

Investigation of the departments of civil administration by the new government has shown in many cases over-staffing, and the officials are being required to furnish details concerning their ages, salaries and duties. Numerous dismissals from the surplus staffs are probable. It is calculated that the reorganization will result in a substantial saving, even when the cost of compensation is taken into account.

Joseph Devlin met Michael Collins at the Gresham Hotel and discussed with him the question of the Ulster boundary and the position of the Nationalists in Ulster.

Craig and Collins

Sir James Craig, Premier of Ulster, will visit Michael Collins, the head of the Irish provisional government, in Dublin on Thursday of this week. It was announced today, to resume the conference opened in London recently at which an agreement was reached between them on various matters concerning Ulster and South Ireland. It is expected that the railway situation, the boundary question and the position of workers expelled from Belfast will be discussed.

Noting the election of delegates from Sinn Fein clubs to the general convention called for February 7, The Irish Republic in today's issue claims successes for the republicans throughout Ireland. The paper says: "The list makes it clear that the engineered stampede is over."

GERMANS SMUGGLE THEIR CAPITAL ABROAD

BERLIN, Jan. 31.—A number of leading German and foreign banks, it was stated today, have started negotiations with a view to ascertaining the amount of capital smuggled out of Germany, in order to bring it within the scope of German taxation.

According to one newspaper today, between 40 billion and 50 billion marks have gone into Switzerland alone.

NEW YORKER SWINDLES IN CHARITY'S NAME

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—George Messervy, 55, who bought a piano, an automobile and other luxuries from funds his agents obtained by passing the hat before gullible subway passengers, was sentenced to the penitentiary today.

A jury convicted him recently of obtaining money under false pretence. He called his idea the "Timely Service Company," but witnesses said, of the $8,000 collected by his agents last year, only $1,000 was used in relief work. The collectors got one-third of their collections as commission.

FUNERALS HELD IN WASHINGTON

First of Victims of Knickerbocker Theatre Disaster Are Buried—Investigations Are Also Commenced

WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Washington today held the first of its many funerals for the 97 who perished on Saturday night, when the roof of the Knickerbocker motion picture theatre collapsed under the weight of snow, and memorial services were announced by a number of churches and other organizations.

Social functions and business conferences ceased in honor of the dead, and the theatres, again in operation, shelter meagre audiences, while hospitals continued to treat the more than sixty injured still confined.

A number of official and unofficial investigations also got under way today, and others were announced.

While the city began the burial of its dead today, District of Columbia authorities pushed their investigation of the disaster, and the Senate was expected to take action on the resolution of Senator Capper, Republican, of Kansas.

A resolution for the same purpose was pending in the House, although Rep. Mondell, Republican leader, had announced that body would not authorize an inquiry pending the outcome of those by local authorities.

A re-check of the death list by the police today showed that the final total, outside of the expected deaths of injured, of which there are now three, would be reduced to 97 from the total of 105 carried yesterday. Of the total of 133 injured, 62 remained in hospitals today, with a dozen reported in critical condition.

Shoe Wholesalers Organize

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—The organization of the new Shoe Wholesalers' Association was completed today with the election of officers. The member of the executive board for the British Columbia district is John Damera, Vancouver.

Burial of Col. Pawlett

YORKTON, Sask., Jan. 31.—Lieut.-Col. Francis Pawlett, D.S.O., was buried with full military honors here this afternoon.

Arrangements Made for Conclave Opening

Technical and Ceremonial Preparations Are Completed for Tomorrow—Anxiety as to Cardinal O'Connell's Arrival—Financial Developments in Vatican Circles

ROME, Jan. 31.—The date of Cardinal O'Connell's arrival is the absorbing question among prelates here, now that a respite has come before the opening of the conclave on Thursday. All technical and ceremonial arrangements have been made, and the coming of the cardinal is awaited with extreme eagerness. This has been accentuated by the announcement, in local newspapers, that he is braving the dangers of the sea on a destroyer.

There is general hope that America will be represented by at least one cardinal.

The fulfillment of the remaining rites in the burial of Benedict took place today, the eighth requiem mass being celebrated in the Sistine chapel, Cardinal Vico was the celebrant, while Cardinals Merry Del Val, Francisco Nava and Maffi imparted absolution.

The Dataria Apostolica, the judicial section of the Holy See, according to The Tribuna, is advancing a claim for the payment of the annual sum of 400,000 lire, representing various foundations instituted by Ferdinand VI. of Spain in 1753. The Dataria asserts that although the sum has been regularly claimed since 1870, it has never been paid, and the Holy See therefore demands back payments, amounting to 20,000,000 lire.

Two million lire have been expended in the preparations for the Conclave, not including the expenses of the foreign prelates, which are paid by their respective dioceses. Economy having been a predominating feature, however, the furniture has been rented or borrowed from nearby hospitals. The necessary funds have been obtained from the interest on one hundred million lire which the Holy See has invested in foreign securities. But the Vatican treasury is said to be very low, and it is understood that the capital of one hundred million lire had to be drawn upon for the first time since the death of Pius IX.

REVENUE FALLS BEHIND IN YEAR

Figures Issued by Department Show Decrease in Customs and Some Increase in Excise Collections

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—A further decrease of nearly one and a half million dollars in revenue for the month is shown in the customs and excise figures for the month of January, 1922, as compared with the same month of last year, according to figures issued today.

The total collections were $17,195,744.77, as against $18,676,765 in January last year. In the 10 months of the fiscal year ending tonight, the total collections show a decrease of over $62,590,000 as compared with the corresponding period of the preceding fiscal year.

The 10 months' totals were: 1922—$191,395,250.77, as compared with $253,990,790 in the 10 months ending January 31, 1921.

Customs import duties for the month of January fell from $10,083,671.78 in 1921 to $9,064,054.41 in January, 1922, a decrease of $1,024,617.37.

Excise taxes in January, 1922, totalled $5,580,616.94, as against $6,381,075.52 in January, 1921, a decrease of $800,458.64. Excise duties in January, 1922, showed an increase over the previous year. The totals for these collections were $2,440,493.00 in January, 1922, and $2,307,017.77 in January, 1921, an increase of $233,575.41. Sundry collections in January, 1922, totalled $110,389.34.

For the 10 months' period the collections were: Customs import duties for the ten months ending January 31, 1921, were $155,845,894.63, as against $97,692,923.75 for the 10 months just ended.

Excise taxes $67,011,903.69 in the period ended January, 1921, and $61,449,911.76 in the 10 months ended tonight.

Excise duties, $31,133,192.19 in the 10 months ending January, 1921, and $31,006,769.56 in the 10 months ended tonight. Sundry collections in the 10 months ended tonight totalled $856,541.70.

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It Must be Someone Like You—Fox Trot	Champion Jass Band	216354	10	.85
Oh Joy!—Fox Trot	Scott's Orchestra			
Popular Songs of Yesterday—Medley Waltz No. 1	Hackel-Bergé Orchestra	35713	12	1.50
Popular Songs of Yesterday—Medley Waltz No. 3	Hackel-Bergé Orchestra			

POPULAR SONGS

Molly-O (I Love You)	William Robyn	18829	10	.85
Love's Ship	Charles Harrison			
Rose of My Soul	John Steel	18836	10	.85
Whisper To Me in the Starlight	John Steel			
Georgia Rose	Sterling Trio	18837	10	.85
Tomorrow Land	Sterling Trio			
I've Got My Habits On	Miss Patricola	18838	10	.85
Happy Hottentot	Miss Patricola			
There is a Weariness in God's Mercy	Trinity Quartet	216355	10	.85
(1) Softly Now the Light of Day (2) Seven Fold Amen				
When Shall We Meet Again	Edna Brown-Elliott Shaw	18841	10	.85
Mississippi Cradle	Edna Brown-Elliott Shaw			
Second Hand Rose	Fanny Brice	45263	10	1.25
My Man (Mon Homme)	Fanny Brice			

VOCAL AND INSTRUMENTAL RECORDS

(1) Run, Run, Run (Cancone) (2) Jumping (Gurlitt) (3) Running Game (Gurlitt) (4) Air de Ballet (Jadassohn)		18840	10	.85
Waltzes 1, 2 and 9 (Brahms)	Victor Orchestra			
Guards Brigade March	Metropolitan Military Band	216356	10	.85
Military Cross March	Metropolitan Military Band			

RED SEAL RECORDS

For Ever and For Ever!	Emilio de Gogorza	64619	10	1.50
Alice, Where Art Thou?	Mischa Elman	74734	12	2.25
Quartet in D Major—Allegro Moderato	Flonzaley Quartet	74736	12	2.25
Ol' Car'lina	Amelita Galli-Curci	64614	10	1.50
Les Saltimbanques—C'est l'amour (The Mountebanks—'Tis Love		64617	10	1.50
Canzonetta	Hulda Lashanska	64631	10	1.50
Sweet and Low	Hulda Lashanska	64639	10	1.50
Querida (My Darling)	Titta Ruffo	87431	10	1.50
Taming of the Shrew—Part I	E. H. Sothern and J. Marlowe	74794	12	2.25
Taming of the Shrew—Part II	E. H. Sothern and J. Marlowe	74795	12	2.25
Fête Bohême (Bohemian Festival) (No. 4 from "Scenes Pittoresques")	Arturo Toscanini and La Scala Orchestra	74735	12	2.25
Where My Dear Lady Sleeps	Reinald Werrenrath	64618	10	1.50
Russian Dance	Efrem Zimbalist	64958	10	1.50

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WEST CALGARY PROTEST FILED

Hon. R. B. Bennett Proceeds With Petition Against Return of Progressive—Statement Concerning Recount

CALGARY, Jan. 31.—A petition of protest against the election of Joseph Tweed Shaw as member of Parliament for the West Calgary Federal riding was filed with the clerk of the Supreme Court of Alberta today by Hon. R. B. Bennett, who was declared defeated after a recount by District Court Judge Winter, by a majority of sixteen votes. The action by the former Minister of Justice in protesting the election is the outcome of pressure of his supporters, who have urged him to take this course since he returned from Ottawa. The petition was filed on the last day possible under the time limit of 28 days laid down by the Dominion Elections Act. Mr. Shaw's election was proclaimed in the Canada Gazette of January 3.

The petition was filed with the clerk of the court, along with a deposit of $1,000, as called for by the act. The protest will be considered by two judges of the Supreme Court of Alberta, selected by the judges of the court. The appeal from their decision is direct to the Supreme Court of Canada.

In a statement given to The Herald on Tuesday afternoon, immediately after the filing of the petition, Mr. Bennett says that the result of the recount by the district court judge was to disenfranchise a number of voters for the following reasons: Marking ballots with pen and ink, pencils other than the black one supplied in the polling booth, and because some marked their ballots with the figure "1", instead of with an "x", following the rules of proportional representation as in force in municipal elections in Calgary.

GEN. GOETHALS IS SKEPTICAL

Doubts Success of St. Lawrence Scheme as Waterway for Ocean Boats—Power Project May Materialize

ST. PAUL, Minn., Jan. 31.—General George W. Goethals, who completed the Panama Canal, declared in an interview here today that the proposed St. Lawrence-Great Lakes canal project was impracticable as a seaboard project.

The famous engineer, who was en route to the state of Washington, added:

"I have not seen the report on this project, however. In the first place, the Great Lakes seaboard project is visionary, and I wonder if the power development project really is not behind it. There is not enough water to carry ocean-going boats to the head of the Great Lakes, and the expense of deepening the lakes would be prohibitive, to say nothing of the improvements.

"Some day the canalization of the St. Lawrence will materialize. But it will be brought about on the basis of power development, and not principally as a shipping proposition."

EXPLORER MACMILLAN FAILS OF OBJECTIVE

WISSCASHEL, Maine, Jan. 31.—Donald B. MacMillan and his Arctic expedition on the schooner Bowdoin has failed to reach Fury and Hecla Strait, passage of which would be necessary to circumnavigate Baffin's Land as planned, it was indicated by indirect advices received here today. MacMillan may return next Summer, it is thought.

The Carnegie Institute at Washington sent word that a message had been received at Ottawa, through Canadian customs officials, under date of November 18 last from the manager of a Hudson's Bay post that MacMillan was spending the Winter at Nauwatta, 80 miles north of Cape Dorset, and 300 miles south of Fury and Hecla Strait. This place is only a short distance beyond the point reached by the explorer on August 20, when he sent word that he hoped in ten days to pass the strait, which has never been navigated.

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AUTOMOBILE TOURISTS CAUGHT BY STORM

BAKERSFIELD, Cal., Jan. 31.—Carrying provisions and clothing, a rescue party from Bakersfield this morning succeeded in reaching thirty-eight automobile tourists, isolated since Sunday on the Ridge route between Bakersfield and Los Angeles, at a point between Sanberg and Bailey, by the storm that has been raging in the mountains.

The marooned party has been huddled in a ranger's cabin since late yesterday, with only a meagre fire and with their food supply exhausted. None were in a serious condition, according to advices reaching automobile club officers here.

WESTERN FARMERS SUFFER DEPRESSION

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31.—In declaring that the times of depression have never been more serious for the farmers of Western Canada, President John Bracken, of the Manitoba Agricultural College, stated a solution to the present depression would be found in reduction of freight rates and of Government costs, both Provincial and Federal, at the opening session here today of the Manitoba Agricultural Society convention. A remedy would be found, he said, in a general reduction of out-go and increase of income.

MANY QUESTIONS AWAIT SOLUTION

Genoa Conference Is Delayed by Consideration of Matters Which Pertain Only to Allies—France's Attitude

PARIS, Jan. 31.—The expected exchange of views among the Allies regarding the conditions under which the Genoa conference should be opened is awaiting the development, through diplomatic discussion, of other questions regarded as more pressing.

The fact that the matter of the Genoa programme is being allowed to lie dormant may be variously interpreted, but it seems to be taken in political quarters here to mean that the French Government regards French participation as a foregone conclusion, that some of the questions concerning which there may be some difficulties will be easily settled, and that there is no hurry in taking them up.

The French viewpoint of the scope of the work to be done at Genoa rests upon conditions clearly set forth at the Cannes conference, that nothing bearing upon questions settled by the Treaty of Versailles shall be discussed, that reparations shall not come into question and that there shall be no talk of treaty revision.

As for the German reply to the reparations commission, the Foreign Office said today it was not ready to make any comment on this document. It was stated, however, that the policy of France remains unchanged in regard to the necessity of the Allies taking guarantees authorized by the Treaty of Versailles so as to give final character to whatever definite arrangements the Allies might come to regarding the treatment of Germany's default.

The meeting of the foreign ministers of France, Italy and Great Britain to discuss Near Eastern questions, notably Asia Minor, which was originally set for February 1, has now been tentatively fixed for February 9, with Paris as the meeting place. A postponement was requested by Lord Curzon, the British Foreign Secretary, because of his desire for more time to examine the French reply to the British memorandum regarding the treaty between France and Turkish Nationalists.

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The London Times, in an editorial under the caption "The Mystery of Genoa," questions the probability of the conference's success and emphasizes the vagueness of the promises of its promoters.

"With the United States holding critically aloof, with France reluctantly consenting and other European Governments doubtfully or anxiously acceding," says the paper, "it would be a surprise if the conference came near to realizing the hopes of its promoters. What these hopes are, it is extremely difficult to understand. There appears to be a strange combination of limelight and secrecy.

"The nations are to gather together to discuss the economic recommendation of Central and Eastern Europe. Austria is in deep distress, the state of Russia is appalling beyond imagination. Can anything be done to relieve the situation by a hasty conference of busy premiers?"

ROME, Jan. 31.—The Italian Government is continuing its preparations for the organization of the Genoa economic conference as if all the countries that have been invited had unqualifiedly announced their intentions to be represented. The prefect has requisitioned the royal palace of the ancient Italian rulers for the sittings.

CONDITIONS IMPROVE IN EUROPEAN LANDS

HALIFAX, Jan. 31.—In an interview last night, R. M. Wolvin, president of the British Empire Steel Corporation, who returned on the Empress of Scotland on Monday, said that while in Germany and England he had been negotiating for sales of iron ore from the Wabana Mines, and felt the negotiations would result in satisfactory business.

In Great Britain business conditions have improved greatly during the year, and the export trade is increasing, he declared.

"In Germany there is little evidence of unemployment and the condition of the people seems reasonably satisfactory," Mr. Wolvin said. "The German steel industry is working to about sixty per cent of capacity, and would do better if it were not that Germany has to make deliveries of coal to France. Skilled workmen in Germany now receive 100 marks a day, equivalent to 50 cents in Canadian currency."

MARGOT ASQUITH GIVES OPINIONS

Touches on Various Questions That Get Attention in Britain—Comes to America for Lecture Tour

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Margot Asquith, wife of Herbert H. Asquith, and author of "The Diary of Margot Asquith," which when published created a sensation, arrived here last night on the steamship Carmania. Mrs. Asquith is on her first visit to the United States, and is to lecture, or rather, read from the manuscript of her second volume of memoirs, as yet unknown to the public.

Mrs. Asquith said that she did not expect a general election in England for some time, and though she would like to see it, she did not think there was much chance of more women being elected to the British Parliament.

Mrs. Asquith says that the protective tariff, tried out for the first time in England, because of the war, has worked harm to the country.

As to the situation between France and England, she did not believe that relations were so strained as pictured in the press reports. She said she was glad the Irish question was settled, and paid tribute to Arthur Griffith. She was not quite so sure of Michael Collins, "because he is a very young man, isn't he?" she inquired.

When asked whether Premier Lloyd George was as popular with the British people as ever, she answered naively, "I wonder?"

Prohibition in the United States, of which she read much, she was sure was a good thing. She rather leaned, however, to the view that there should be light wine and beer for those who wished them. There was much less drinking in England and in Scotland than formerly, in her opinion.

HON. C. STEWART MAY FIND SEAT

Movement on Foot to Open East Edmonton for Minister—Sitting Member Is Apparently Unfavorable

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior, will probably run in East Edmonton, if negotiations now under way are successful, it is understood in official circles here today. D. F. Kellner, Progressive, defeated Colonel H. A. Mackie in this constituency in the general elections. A definite announcement will be made by Mr. Stewart tomorrow.

EDMONTON, Jan. 31.—A movement is on foot in East Edmonton, among the Labor forces, to open that riding in the interests of the Hon. Charles Stewart, Minister of the Interior. F. N. Kellner, the Progressive member for that riding, denied over the telephone this morning from Egremont that he made any statements to the effect that he was willing to throw the constituency open and run against Mr. Stewart. Mr. Kellner will be in Edmonton on Thursday. In the meantime there is to be a meeting of the Dominion Labor Party in East Edmonton this evening, at which the opening of the seat will be discussed. This action is based on a resolution passed at the U.F.A. convention in Calgary, which recommended that "no members of Parliament resign except with the consent of a duly constituted accredited convention of representatives of the group, groups or organizations which nominated, endorsed or elected him."

The Dominion Labor Party in East Edmonton was one of this group.

LONDON BOROUGHS TAKE RADICAL COURSE

LONDON, Jan. 31.—The board of guardians of Poplar, in defying a recent order of Sir Alfred Mond, the Minister of Health, prescribing the scale of relief and conditions subject to which outdoor relief may be charged upon the metropolitan poor fund, declare that the minister's action is "downright contemptible" because it throws the burden of relief upon the poor people of Poplar.

The new scale of rates is said to be double that of the old, and the minister was asked to bring about a better equalization, but he declared that he was clearly of the opinion that to do so would be contrary to the intention of Parliament.

In a poll taken yesterday in Islington, another of London's industrial areas, an overwhelming vote was cast against a scheme to superannuate municipal officials.

ANTI-BLASPHEMY ACTS SHOULD BE REPEALED

LONDON, Jan. 31.—Right Hon. Edward Shortt, the Home Secretary, in declining to interfere in the case of a man who was recently sentenced to nine months' imprisonment for blasphemy, expresses the opinion that the acts governing blasphemy might well be repealed, as they were merely intended to restrict freedom of religious thought, and were now obsolete.

This prisoner, however, was convicted under the criminal law for using coarse and scurrilous ridicule upon subjects which are sacred to most people.

Turkish Nationalist Protest

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Farid Bey, Turkish Nationalist representative in Paris, today sent a letter to Premier Bonomi, of Italy, expressing "profound surprise and keen regret" that his government was not invited to send representatives to the Genoa conference. The latter asked the Italian Premier to take whatever steps he could to bring about such an invitation.

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 31.—Production of petroleum in the United States in 1921, as indicated by reports from producing companies to the United States Geological Survey, amounted to 469,639,000 barrels. This total may be increased somewhat, the survey said today, by reports of the quantity consumed on the leases for fuel.

Stocks of crude oil increased 60,599,000 barrels during the year, the report said.

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CLERK DISCUSSES ELECTION TANGLE

Saanich Official Replies to Statements Reflecting on Municipal Office Staff When He Presents Report

Answering statements made in the present Saanich election campaign reflecting upon the municipal office staff, Clerk Hector Cowper laid a lengthy report before a meeting of the successful candidates in the recent polling, at Royal Oak on Monday afternoon. It was decided that the information provided by Mr. Cowper should be given out whenever possible during the election campaign. The statement prepared by the clerk read as follows:

(1) In January of the year 1916, I was appointed comptroller by the Saanich Council, i.e., every department of the municipal service was to be controlled by me subject to the direction of the Municipal Council.

(2) I have read the reports in both The Victoria Daily Times and The Victoria Daily Colonist of the meetings held th Ward 7, in the Tillicum School on January 25, 1922, and in Ward 5, at the Royal Oak Hall, on January 26, 1922. I have also read what purports to be Councillor Francis Simpson's platform in the forthcoming election as set forth in The Victoria Daily Colonist of January 29, 1922.

(3) In all the said reports I find that Councillor Simpson has been most careful not to make any direct statement, but has taken the subterfuge of asking a question, or prefacing with the words "in my opinion" or "it is alleged," all of which as he well knows protects him against any action for slander. If many of Councillor Simpson's remarks had been made as direct statements, they would have been both malicious and slanderous.

(4) Councillor Simpson's first tirade seems to have been, "It seems to me, that very many people are in error as to who caused the present embroglio in Saanich; was it not the present Reeve, Clerk and the Municipal legal adviser, who went over to the Government last Monday week? Why did they go there? In my opinion it was to force upon the municipality an illegal business which they know to be illegal?"

Declarations

Councillor Simpson well knows that the embroglio was caused by the fact that he and the other twenty-six candidates for municipal office did not file qualification declarations with their nomination papers. It was the non-conformance of this technicality alone that caused the whole embroglio. Here it may be stated that I am informed by three creditable witnesses who were present, and I verily believe that the statement made by Councillor Kingswell that he had taken a declaration of qualification in to the returning officer, but had been told that it was not necessary, is contrary to the truth.

The negotiations with the Provincial Government were commenced at least twenty-four hours before the close of the poll, which shows the falsity of the insinuation that the same efforts would not have been made to overcome the difficulty had the result of the poll been otherwise. The one and only request of the Saanich officials was that the Government would act under the powers conferred upon them by Section 94 of the Municipal Elections Act, which reads as follows:

Section 94:

"It shall be lawful for the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council to cause to be adopted such measures as may be necessary for removing any obstacle or for the doing of or the omission to do any act of a technical or formal nature by which, or the want of which, the due course of any election may be impeded: Provided that the measure so taken as aforesaid shall be forthwith declared by the Lieutenant-Governor by a proclamation to be for that purpose published in The Gazette."

Government's Course

I am informed and verily believe that about 10 o'clock in the forenoon of the day of polling (January 14), Premier Oliver told Returning Officer Sewell that the Order-in-Council would be given "for what it is worth," and accordingly for the purpose of passing same a special meeting of the Executive Council was called for 12:30 p.m. on the same day (polling day). I have it on the authority of Mr. F. A. Pauline, M.P.P., that there was a faction in Saanich who were pressing the Government not to take any steps to overcome the technical omission, and I am of the firm opinion that it was due to this faction that the present election tangle is due. Be that as it may, the Government placed first one obstacle and then another in the way, until at last they placed a rider that if they gave the Order-in-Council steps would be taken to test its validity in the courts. As no decision short of the Court of Appeal decision would be binding, at a meeting held on January 18, of all but one of the candidates who were returned at the top of the polls, it was unanimously decided in order to save unnecessary expense to the ratepayers that all candidates would waive their rights to be declared elected and that application should be made to the Government for a warrant to be issued for a new election. Acting on these instructions from those who, according to the voice of the people, should be in authority, I wrote applying for the warrants, and these are now to hand. It will probably be insinuated that the action taken was the only one to take. The highest courts in the land have repeatedly held that in elections the omission of an act of technical nature does not void an election if such omission does not affect to a material degree the result of the poll. Only a high court decision could have settled the matter.

The suggestion that the size of the poll was affected by the suggested knowledge of the forthcoming trouble is not borne out by fact that the votes cast for the Reeveship candidates in 1920 were 1,510, whereas at the last poll, the number was 1,932.

Previous Elections

(5) The next item of Mr. Simpson's tirade is "In every election for the past five years there had been delinquency in the matter of declarations by candidates." This is typical of Mr. Simpson—he knows nothing about the elections of the past five years—he could have, as a Councillor, found out everything that there was to know about them, but he did not. He chose the more ignoble course. For the information of the ratepayers I state I have in my possession every declaration from every candidate who has run in Saanich for municipal office for the years 1917, 1918, 1919, 1920 and 1921, including one made by one Francis Simpson, and every declaration is in the exact form as prescribed by the Municipal Elections Act.

(6) The next item, "The Government says we must have a new election. This despite day long visits to the Parliament Buildings by Reeve Watson, Clerk Cowper, the Municipal Solicitor and other parties." This I emphatically deny—the Government did not decide the matter. The "day long visits" by Reeve Watson, Clerk Cowper and the Municipal Solicitor I can also state is a fabrication—probably Mr. Simpson is right about the "other parties."

(7) The next item, "He (Simpson) wanted to see the employees of the municipality, the servants of the ratepayers as a whole and not only of a few that hold office. There were times when public servants toadied to those in power, hoping to gain thereby." If this insidious statement shows anything it is the utter ignorance of Councillor Simpson. Municipal servants are not the servants of the ratepayers. They are the servants of the Municipal Council, and unless they are loyal to the Reeve and Council in power they should and would be without doubt dismissed. I toady to no man—possibly this is the reason for the tirade of Mr. Simpson.

(8) The next item, "Speaking of who was to pay for the solicitor during the efforts to have the recent polling declared legal," Councillor Simpson said, "No Reeve has the right to go as far as he did last week without authority from the Council." This again shows the utter ignorance of municipal affairs. The solicitor is paid a monthly retainer, and such amount covers all fees for consultations such as have taken place.

(9) The next item, "Find the error in not securing declarations been acknowledged on nomination day it would have been possible for the Council to meet and change the date in the by-law." Again this shows ignorance. There is no by-law upon the matter. Secondly, the procedure was out of the hands of the Council and could only then have been fixed in the manner it has now been fixed, i.e., by the issuing of a warrant by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council for a new election.

Land Owners and Vote

(10) The next item, "One man had told him that he owned land in Saanich but his name was not on the assessment roll, and that he knew of others in a similar position. Someone on the municipal staff was not giving faithful service." This is a case of passing judgment without hearing both sides of the case. There are many hundreds of persons who the municipal officers know own property in the municipality, but who have not registered such ownership in the Land Registry Office, and they are therefore not the assessed owners of the property. This, if anything, is the fault of the law, but is certainly not the fault of the municipal staff.

(11) The next item, "Mr. Simpson supported a revision of the assessment roll and mentioned claims of over and under assessments, and also cases of no vote being given taxpayers." "Here again someone in the office appears to be lax," he said. The first portion of this is a criticism of either the individual ratepayer or of the Courts of Revision who have sat in past years. The latter part is exactly the same case as is shown in the preceding section—unless a property owner is registered in the Land Registry Office he is not entitled to have his name upon the municipal voters' list.

(12) Section 1 on Councillor Simpson's platform. (1) An investigation into the causes of the recent embroilment, including an alleged espionage system, whose existence we have strong reasons to suspect. The first part in any event would be welcomed especially if the court was impartial. The second is a mystery which the candidate will probably later elucidate, but does it not rather tend to show that the "we," whoever they may be, have something to hide from the public?

(13) Section 2 of platform. (2) That a careful revision of assessments is required to equalize taxation and bring all data connected therewith up to present day requirements for all purposes. This is gallery play. Councillor Simpson recently obtained a report re Gorge Road assessments, and possibly he really refers to these, but he will not tell the Ward Six people this.

Sinking Funds

(14) Section 3 of platform. (3) I shall demand a thorough report of the alleged unauthorized manipulation of Saanich sinking funds in which there was a considerable element of danger." By putting in that one word "alleged" Councillor Simpson has saved himself the paying of many thousands of dollars to me as damages. All sinking fund investments have been recommended by myself to the Council for the past five years. Every transaction has been duly authorized by the Council, either by resolution or by by-law. Every investment has been in securities duly authorized by the Municipal Act, and every transaction has shown a positive profit, and there never at any time has been the slightest element of danger of loss.

(15) Section 4 of platform is a platitude. Every elected officer takes oath of office to same effect.

(16) Sections 5, 6 and 7 of platform are matters that do not concern me or any member of the staff under my control.

(17) With regard to the question of salary cut this is a matter that worries me little. I know that any elected representatives of the people, when they know all the circumstances, will deal fairly with the question.

"Who steals my purse steals trash; 'tis something—nothing; 'twas mine, 'tis his, and has been slave to thousands, but he that filches from me my good name robs me of that which not enriches him and makes me poor indeed."

HECTOR S. COWPER,
C. M. C.

Lignite Board's Work

OTTAWA, Jan. 31.—R. A. Ross, Montreal, chairman of the Lignite Utilization Board, is in conference with Hon. Charles Stewart today regarding board plans for the year. The technical advices made the board and its financial needs were under consideration.

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EARLY ISSUANCE OF BY-ELECTION WRITS

Omineca Date Will Be Announced So Soon as Information Is Received—Premier Goes to Ottawa

Pending advices from the district as to the earliest possible moment the returning officer can post the proclamation calling for an election, the date of the by-election in the Omineca district still remains in doubt Premier Oliver stated yesterday, though he said that the writ for the by-election necessitated by the elevation to the portfolio of Attorney-General of Hon. A. M. Manson, is prepared.

Under the Provincial Election Act the proclamation must be posted at various points throughout the riding, and at this time of year such work might require considerable time by the returning officer. Until this is known the date for the contest cannot be fixed, though Premier Oliver intimated that it might be today if the awaited information is forthcoming. The contest will be held within three weeks of the issuance of the writ.

As for Revelstoke, no decision as to the date of the by-election there required consequent on the appointment of the sitting member, Dr. W. H. Sutherland, to the portfolio of Minister of Works, will be made until the new minister returns to Victoria at the end of the present week, the Premier stated, or some word is received from him in the meantime.

Premier Oliver expects to leave for Ottawa next week to attend the final hearing of the railway freight rates case to be held in the capital on the 15th inst. He will probably go East with the delegation of British Columbia business men who will be on hand when the hearing takes place.

While at Ottawa the Premier will take up a number of important matters, especially the railway situation in British Columbia. As he announced at a recent meeting here, he will seek to have the Dominion take over the P.G.E. railway or, failing that, seek to secure the same grant per mile for the work already done and for the prospective Peace River extension as was granted by the Dominion to the Mackenzie & Mann interests.

ROAD PROBLEMS ARE BEFORE AUTO CLUB

General Meetng iof Victoria Automobilists Discusses Difficulties of Changed Rule of Road and Lights

Difficulties regarding the problems of the changed rule of the road were discussed by the members of the Victoria Automobile Club at the ninth general meeting which was held in the room at 214 Pemberton Building, Monday evening. It was stated by some of the members that in a recent test case before the city magistrate it was shown that the city regulations are in contradiction to the Provincial by-law which gives the car approaching from the right, the right of way at street intersections. In the case which was cited and which came before the magistrate recently the decision given was that the car approaching from the left had the right of way, as before the change in the rule of the road.

A committee was appointed to interview the city authorities and ascertain what the exact position of the matter is.

There was some discussion over the question of enforcing the present provincial regulations with regard to automobile lights. The regulations call for the spotlight being on the opposite side of the car to which approaching cars will pass it on. It was pointed out that this meant that the spotlight would have to be moved to the right side of the car where it would be out of reach of the driver and practically useless, most of the cars now being left-hand drivers. It was felt by the majority of the members that the rule for regulating the front lights should be rigidly enforced. This rule says that the rays of the front lights shall not rise higher than forty-two inches from the ground at a distance on dead level of seventy-five feet. If this rule were enforced there would be no more difficulty, it was pointed out from dimming lights on the highway. It was also felt that the use of bright lights in the city limits should be prohibited.

Condemn Admiral Road

A resolution was passed protesting against the present condition of Admiral Road north from Esquimalt Road into Saanich, and the secretary was instructed to bring the matter before the Reeves of Esquimalt and Saanich and the Department of Public Works.

The president, Mr. N. A. Yarrow, drew the attention of the meeting to the fact that the Good Roads Convention would meet in Victoria on the 13th to the 17th of June and that there would be from 1,000 to 1,500 delegates present at the gathering. The Automobile Club would be expected to do its best, he opined, to make this big convention a complete success. It is quite a feather in the cap of Victoria to secure this influential meeting, said Mr. Yarrow.

The secretary stated that there are now 225 members of the club and that the work was in a most satisfactory condition. The club had met all its obligations and paid the expense of organization as well as all operating expenses during the first year and had a small balance to the good on hand.

The annual meeting will be held on the 28th of February when officers for the ensuing year will be elected.

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Woman Wounded

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—With bullet wounds in her ear, jaw and wrist, Mrs. Sarah Zimering, 30, was taken to the hospital yesterday, and her husband, M. Zimering, is held on a charge of shooting with intent to kill. It is stated that the shooting followed a quarrel over the husband's lack of employment. Mrs. Zimering's condition is not serious.

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THE DRYDOCK SITUATION

The fight to secure recognition of shipping needs of the Pacific Coast of Canada by the building of an adequate drydock at Esquimalt occupied more than ten years. Finally, after many delays, the work of construction was commenced and has been well advanced. The structure is a matter of policy which was determined on soon after the Borden administration came into power in 1911. The need of this facility was urged in the report of the Dominions Royal Commission, approved by the Admiralty from the standpoint of affording accommodation for repairs for vessels of the Royal Navy, and the consensus of opinion on this coast is that it is a necessary adjunct to our merchant marine. The sum to be involved in the building of the drydock is somewhat over $4,000,000, of which less than a quarter has been spent. The situation now is that the new Federal Government is considering the advisability of closing down this work.

The circumstances which made an up-to-date drydock a desirability at this point any time during the past decade have not altered. As the tonnage of the world increases it becomes all the more essential, and especially is this the case because more vessels than ever before are now calling at British Columbia ports. We can understand the desire of the new Federal Government to institute a policy of economy, but cannot appreciate why any course should be taken which would mean breaking faith with this community. We do not anticipate that the Liberal administration will venture to revoke a solemn obligation entered into by its predecessor in office, for, if it did so, an extremely bad precedent would be created and would have the tendency of making contracting firms very chary of tendering on Government orders. The new Government, no less than its predecessor, has a moral obligation to complete a work which has already been carried so far forward. If the drydock were to be abandoned now it would mean a loss of something like a million dollars to the people of Canada.

The people of Vancouver Island will rely upon Dr. J. H. King, the new Minister of Public Works, to present the case for the drydock to the Federal Cabinet in such a way that no course can be adopted save to complete the facility. There is a point of honor involved which cannot very well be overlooked. The development of Canada's merchant marine requires Federal facilities for drydocking the vessels of that fleet. It is well that all interests should be active in urging the Liberal Government to complete the drydock, but such pressure should be unnecessary, for common justice demands that the undertaking should be finished.

EDUCATIONAL LIMITS

There are many who will entertain the belief that Alderman R. W. Perry is not altogether correct in his defence of the School Board outlays. He is quoted as saying at Monday's Council meeting that the public want the various expenditures authorized, and that the Board is merely obeying instructions from the voters. Our recollection is that last year by-laws affecting school expenditures were put before the property owners and in every case defeated. One of these called for extra expenditures on the technical department of the High School. Others dealt with improvements to school grounds. Despite the attitude of the public towards the technical department it would seem that there was a larger expenditure for this work during 1921 than in the preceding year, which would tend to indicate that in this particular the Board is not following any mandate it has from the people.

If the stand taken by Alderman Perry is the attitude of the School Board it would seem that body will not recede from its present position regarding expenditures. Alderman Dewar maintains that school teachers are underpaid, but he does not suggest where the money should come from to give them higher salaries. Mr. J. L. Beckwith, one of the School Trustees, fears that any reductions in salaries would lead to a breakdown in the morale of the teaching staff, and possibly to wholesale resignations. This is, of course, a somewhat exaggerated viewpoint, for the fact remains that the supply of teachers far exceeds the demand in this country. This is illustrated through a vacancy which occurred in one of the schools in Alberta recently, for which some scores of applications were received. We do not maintain that the teachers, where they are fully competent for their duties, are overpaid. Some draw salaries beyond their merits; others are not given sufficient recognition. What we do maintain is that there are too many teachers. The salary list carried is too large, and in this direction economies could be effected.

Both the School Board and some of the aldermen appear to be of the opinion that there are no reforms required in our educational system. This would infer a belief that the system is perfect as it stands. Members of the faculty of the University of British Columbia are conducting a series of addresses, the tenor of which is to prove that too much money cannot be spent on education. Their main idea is to persuade the Provincial Government to engage in larger expenditures on the University, but, incidentally, they hope to create a psychology which will lead to such expenditures on the High Schools as will induce greater numbers of students to demand higher education. This is laudable in its way, but the problem remains of where all the money is to come from for the purposes for which this propaganda is designed. In the course of time, when conditions become more normal, there can be no doubt that the people will be more liberal in expenditures on education, but they first have to be persuaded that the existing system is a good one and they require to be shown that there is no waste in the present expenditures.

We agree with Alderman A. E. Todd in saying that the Department of Education has "set the pace" in school expenditures and is the responsible body, but, behind that Department there is the Legislature, which has never taken more than a perfunctory interest in educational matters. The Legislature is to blame because it has allowed School Boards such latitude for expenditures. It has accepted the formulas of the Department of Education almost unchallenged, and, during recent years, in which the murmurs against expenditures continue to grow in volume, it has not taken a single step to restrict the powers of expenditure which School Boards enjoy. The taxpayers are victims of bureaucratic methods in our educational system, and the bureaucracy will not admit that any revision is needed. The scope of education is being constantly extended, and very often in unnecessary directions and to the detriment of the students who are beckoned into cul de sacs of training and induced to leave the broad highway of knowledge. The protest gathering force against the present methods is not confined to British Columbia. It is apparent wherever State education is practised. It has as its goal a redefinition of the scope and limits and responsibilities of government in imparting knowledge to youth.

LIQUOR CONTROL POLICIES

Since the Liquor Control Board is contemplating the opening of another vendor's store in this city it should pay attention to the need for economy in overhead expenses by locating any such store in premises which it already leases. If we are not mistaken ample space for a store, if another is necessary, could be found in the Pither and Leiser warehouse, which is now leased by the Board. We cannot understand how all the accommodation in that building can be needed for warehouse purposes, and it will be recalled that there has been some criticism affecting the expenses in the operation of the Liquor Control Act which, we have no doubt, the Board is anxious to avoid in the future. To all intents and purposes there is a duplication of effort now with what amount to two administrative offices of the Board, one here and one in Vancouver. This is one feature of the Liquor Control Board which calls for reform, as we do not believe it was intended in the legislation.

With the advent to office of a new Attorney-General the hope will be entertained that a closer supervision will be exercised and liquor control operated with a view to economy in the expenditures which it involves. The time has arrived, too, for a revision of the prices charged for liquors. In this connection it is only fair to say that, due to the public demand, the Board is now adopting a policy of securing a larger variety of brands of liquor, and the criticism which maintained because of its lack of liquors for which there was a demand is no longer justified.

NOTED WRITERS MAY SPEAK IN VICTORIA

If present plans materialize, the Canadian Club will hear addresses from two distinguished journalists and publicists during the next few days. Sir Philip Gibbs, noted war correspondent and now editor of the London Review of Reviews, and Mr. Isaac F. Marcosson, famous interviewer and magazine writer.

Sir Philip Gibbs will not be in Victoria until next month, but it is possible that Mr. Marcosson will be able to speak before the Canadian Club at a luncheon next Friday. Mr. Marcosson will address the Vancouver Canadian Club today and the Institute of Journalists on Thursday, and President B. C. Nicholas, of the Canadian Club here, is negotiating with a view to having the sailing of the steamship which is to take Mr. Marcosson to the Orient delayed so that his appearance in Victoria will be possible.

Saskatchewan's Proposed Outlay

REGINA, Jan. 31.—Calling for a total expenditure by the Province of $21,495,319 during the fiscal year ending April 30, 1923, the main estimates of revenue and amounts to be voted for the public services of Saskatchewan, will receive the attention of the legislative assembly, following the budget speech of Hon. C. A. Dunning, Provincial Treasurer.

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

Karakul Sweater

Sir,—I beg to say that the sweater made from karakul wool was knitted by Mrs. Carmichael, of Hollywood Crescent, Ross Bay, and the weight of the sweater was two pounds and a half.

EFFIE McPHERSON.

Douglas Street, Victoria, B.C., Jan. 31, 1922.

Simpson Campaign Meeting

Sir,—As an interested ratepayer of Saanich I would like to refute the most unfair statements appearing in the paper of today. I refer to the report of the Craigflower meeting held in the interest of Councillor Simpson.

Now, sir, it is only natural at a special meeting of the kind that the sympathy is sure to be in favor with the candidate calling that meeting. There were considerably more than twenty present when Councillor Simpson gave his address, which was a clear annunciation of the affairs in the municipality. Among those present were the Reeve and some of his satellites, who were clearly there for the purpose of interruption. It would seem to me to be more dignified in his position to hold his own meeting for campaign purposes. Your report would lead one to believe that Councillor Simpson could not stand up under the questions of the Reeve. This, however, was not the case, for Mr. Simpson, after concluding his address, answered many questions. He was overdue at another meeting and it was obviously the desire of the hecklers to detain him. Your reporter made much of this and deliberately intended to show that the meeting was against him. Might I ask that fairer reports be given, as the ratepayers want to know something re the candidate's platform, and not of the arrogant interruptions of the class of men whom the Reeve carries from meeting to meeting for that sole purpose.

A. GAVIN.

414 Walter Avenue, Saanich, B.C., Jan. 31, 1922.

Saanich Municipal Campaign

Sir,—Might I correct a mistake in the report of Councillor Simpson's meeting held at Marigold Hall last night?

The mistake referred to is on your front page. You say that Councillor MacWilliam held Mr. Simpson at the door when Reeve Watson spoke. This is deliberately untrue. Councillor MacWilliam called Mr. Simpson over to the rear of the hall and appeared to be engaged in friendly conversation.

I do not think much of any man who would go to an opposition man's meeting and attempt to thrust himself at the people there.

I for one want to hear Councillor Simpson, not his opponents. I had intended to vote for Watson, but with his unfair tactics, which are apparently hushed up by the two reporters, have changed my views. Could not a little more fairness be shown Mr. Simpson?

JAMES MacCLUNG.

Violet Avenue, Saanich, B.C., Jan. 31, 1922.

Saanich Politics

Sir,—As a supporter of Councillor Simpson, permit me to protest in strong manner of the most unfair report of our Craigflower meeting. This meeting was arranged by Councillor Simpson, for himself, not for Reeve Watson. Your reporter has deliberately endeavored to make it appear as if Mr. Simpson had run away from Watson, which is incorrect.

Such a construction was placed on the meetings as to do much damage to Mr. Simpson. Also, there were thirty-five there, not twenty as stated. Might we not have a little fairness?

L. MORIS.

Admiral's Road, Saanich, B.C., January 31, 1922.

Unemployed Women

Sir,—The women of Victoria Unemployed Council desire, through the medium of your paper, to protest against the attitude of Mayor Marchant towards a deputation from the above organization on Wednesday last. After a few minutes' talk the Mayor withdrew to his office and left the business to Aldermen Woodward, practically ignoring the deputation.

The working class women believe that the city of Victoria should provide work for the unemployed, failing which food, clothing and shelter must be provided in quantities sufficient to maintain a decent standard of living, instead of the meagre allowance which is at present reluctantly given.

For the Women Council of Unemployed,

(MRS.) J. STEVENSON.

628 Johnson Street, Victoria, B. C., January 31, 1922.

Re-establishment

Sir—The proposal emanating from the Great War Veterans' Association to the effect that the whole matter of re-establishment of ex-service men and women should be considered by a Royal Commission before the opening of Parliament, merits the careful consideration of the Cabinet Council.

The idea which prompted the proposal was that such a commission could collect all necessary evidence and have its recommendations ready for consideration immediately upon the opening of the next session of Parliament. There are several advantages that would result from such a scheme. In the first instance, the members of the commission could be appointed from all sections of the community, irrespective of political consideration. Unhampered by other duties, the commission would be free to carry on its work without interruption. One of the great difficulties in the operation of parliamentary committees has been the brief and irregular sessions, necessitated by the fact that the members were forced to devote part of their time in the House and on other committees.

The work of the Parliamentry Committees has had to be curtailed on three occasions, owing to the necessity of bringing in a report in time for discussion before the close of the session.

Present indications are, there will be a brief session when the 14th Parliament convenes. The Government would be saved much valuable time and ex-service men would have a fair chance to present their claims if the whole matter of re-establishment could be considered before the opening of the House. With the proposals of the commission placed in concrete form before the members, discussions in the House would be minimized and decisions facilitated.

W. G. STONE.

1129 Empress Avenue, Victoria, B. C., Jan. 28, 1922.

A Tax on Bachelors

Sir,—It is not with the purpose of offering a solution of the problem of unemployment, but rather to make a suggestion re the partial amelioration of the present condition of distress in the city.

No one knows better than a medical man what the present pressure of poverty means, especially among many who refuse to let their necessities be known. Many families are existing upon rations far below the level of the dead line, and children go hungry to bed even in Victoria. The neglect of the child is laying foundation of all that is dangerous in social and municipal life. So long as one child goes hungry we are playing with fire that may burst into an uncontrollable conflagration—but I shall have more to say upon this point in the future.

Now for the suggestion: Since the existence and continuity of the state depends primarily upon marriage and the production of population, it follows as a logical deduction that those who have made no effort to contribute to the continuity of society should receive no gift at the hands of society, for if all avoided family responsibility, society would cease to exist and the state become extinct. This is my suggestion: That all unmarried men be dismissed from positions in both federal, provincial and municipal departments, and their places taken by those who have undertaken matrimonial responsibilities and are contributing to the continuity of society and the permanency of the state. Furthermore, to tax the income of all bachelors at least 50 per cent would tend to equalize the burdens that now fall so heavily on those who are contributing to our population, and too often at a sacrifice known only to those of my profession.

ERNEST A. HALL.

1501 Fort St., Victoria, B. C., Jan. 30, 1922.

GRAZING POLICY GETS RESULTS FOR BREEDERS

Grazing Commissioner's Report Shows That Extension of Work Gives Increasingly Excellent Results

The annual report of Grazing Commissioner MacKenzie has just been issued by Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands. It states that the forage growth on the open range during the 1921 season was better than usual, especially for hay crops, and in consequence stock entered the Winter season in fair to excellent condition.

The rapid drop in prices was a severe blow to stock business while operating expenses continued high. It is unlikely, the commissioner states, that prices will return to the 1919-1920 level and stockmen must make up the loss through more economic management.

Continued work on the organizing of each community has resulted in twenty-two associations co-operating with the department. Authority was granted to graze 60,000 head of cattle and horses and 24,000 head of sheep on Crown lands in the various grazing districts. In 1920, 15,830 head of beef cattle, valued at $1,871,000, were shipped into the Province and, in addition, 1,214,809 pounds of beef and veal were imported, besides mutton and mutton products. These were imported from Canadian Provinces alone and formed heavy competition for stockmen of this Province, something due chiefly to lack of organization among the home growers to render their product more readily accessible to market.

The report states that the solution of the high-operating cost and the marketing problem lies in active organization in range management properly to distribute the bulls and to manage the breeding herd to ensure a food calf crop.

Distribution of Beef

The careful distribution of the beef over the different types of range at the proper periods of the season is all-important since the beef makes its greatest growth on the open range. To bring about this condition the department will continue its organization and co-operative work, and the range improvement work of the department carried out in co-operation with the various livestock associations is an important feature of the work.

The report gives details of work carried out to erect fences to protect Spring and Fall ranges, fencing of dangerous water holes, opening up of trails, etc., work the beneficial effects of which will be increasingly apparent as the years go by. Facilities for stock watering were increased by location of springs and sources of water supply, and work of grasshopper control was prosecuted in conjunction with the Department of Agriculture, the result of two years' experiments on the Riske Creek range having demonstrated that if the cattle are properly distributed on different types of range at the correct period of the season the forage will restore itself in spite of the grasshopper. This work will be carried on this year on the Nicola range, where bad conditions existed during the past year.

STAFF PRESENTATION TO HON. J. W. deB. FARRIS

Retiring Attorney-General Is Recipient of Expression of Good Wishes of Departments

On the eve of his retirement from the portfolio of Attorney-General, Hon. J. W. deB. Farris was made the recipient Monday afternoon in his office at the Legislative Buildings of a rare Oriental rug, which, tradition has it, is over 200 years old, and is a magnificent spiciman of the best work of the Oriental weavers.

The presentation was made by the heads of the various departments and staffs under the jurisdiction of the Attorney-General. A large number of officials waited upon the Attorney-General, who was taken by surprise. The presentation was made by Deputy Attorney-General W. D. Carter, who expressed briefly the regret members of the department feel at the departure of the Attorney-General, their keen appreciation of the kindly relations which have existed between Hon. Mr. Farris and the members of the various departments, and their good wishes for the future of himself and Mrs. Farris.

Hon. Mr. Farris responded to the kind wishes in fitting terms. It was, he said, one of his chief pleasures on his retirement from the government, to know that he bore with him the good wishes of his subordinates and that there had always existed between them the most cordial of relations. He bespoke for his successor, Hon. Mr. Manson, the same loyalty and spirit of good-fellowship.

Hon. Mr. Farris ceased his career as Attorney-General Monday night. He left for Vancouver, where he will re-enter private practice. But it is his intention to return to Victoria weekly until Hon. Mr. Manson is installed in the office, to lend his assistance in any matters requiring it. Pending the return of Hon. Mr. Manson to the Capital about the end of February, Premier Oliver will direct the department as Acting Attorney-General.

White Rock Houses Burned

WHITE ROCK, B.C., Jan. 31.—Fire destroyed the residences of Mrs. F. A. Leate and John Simpson, on Washington Avenue yesterday afternoon. The fire originated in the residence of Mrs. Leate from some unknown cause, and both buildings were quickly in flames.

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(From The Daily British Colonist of February 1, 1872)

Assembly Chamber—Extensive and important alterations are being made in the Assembly Chamber. The Speaker's desk beneath the dais remains as before, but the long horseshoe table has gone the way of antique furniture, and will be replaced by twenty-six handsome, movable desks, arranged in semi-circles or in straight rows on either side of the hall, as may be determined. Over the entrance door in the reporters' gallery behind which will be erected a screen or sounding board, with the object of improving the acoustics of the building. The committee room will be renovated and improved and the entire establishment will exchange its former backwoods appearance for one more dignified and civilized.

B.C. Benevolent Society—Subscribed are the names of the gentlemen composing the Relief Committee and the months assigned to them are set opposite their names: R. E. Jackson (vice-president), E. Granaint, J. F. Davies, E. Marvin—January, April, July, October; R. E. Jackson, R. Burnaby, J. Fell, W. C. Ward—February, May, August, November; R. E. Jackson, R. Beaven, Dr. Tuns, J. Cooper—March, June, September, December.

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WORKSHOP FOR BLIND

Local Liberal Association Urges Minister to Establish Institution in Victoria

The establishment of a workshop for the blind was urged upon the Provincial Government yesterday when a delegation representative of the Victoria and District Liberal Association, headed by Mr. Arthur Cox, waited upon Hon. J. D. MacLean, Minister of Education and Provincial Secretary, and asked that an institution be located in Victoria. It was urged that this city would be an ideal location for such a workshop owing to climatic and other advantages.

The Minister stated the Government is now fully investigating the matter. The shop conducted by the National Institute for the Blind at South Vancouver has been closed and the department has been in communication with the institute with a view to reopening it on a more satisfactory basis. There were fifteen employed at that establishment, where the manufacture of brooms was carried on.

The Liberal Association's committee is preparing data on the local situation to present to the Minister, who stated he would be pleased to receive the association's co-operation in the matter.

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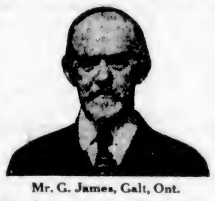

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CONFERENCE AGREES ON CUT IN WAGES

Mayor Marchant Says Reduction of 10 Per Cent for Outside Men Was Considered "Not Unjust"

A reduction of ten per cent in the wages of the city's outside employees is not unfair at the present time.

That, according to Mayor William Marchant, was the consensus of opinion at yesterday's conference between the special negotiating committee of the City Council and representatives of the Civic Employees' Protective Association. The conference lasted more than three hours yesterday afternoon, the wage schedules for the outside service was gone over in "a rough and general way," and an effort was made to reach a satisfactory working basis.

Mayor Marchant and Aldermen Arthur Linaham and Eugene S. Woodward represented the Council, and Messrs. Isaac Byers, J. D. Macdonald and W. R. Yule acted for the employees. The sessions were held in camara, and all parties agreed that Mayor Marchant should give out a statement to the public afterwards.

"The employees met us very fairly, and there was strong disposition on both sides to deal with the situation frankly and reasonably," stated the Mayor. "The consensus of opinion was that the proposed 10 per cent reduction for outside workers was not unfair. Nothing, of course, was final. We will take up the case of the clerical staff on Friday or Saturday."

Whether or not the projected conference between the School Board and Council committee will be held this week has not yet been determined. The School Board was wrestling with its estimates last Monday night and it will tackle them again tonight, but whether it will be in a position to meet the Council before next week none of the trustees would venture a guess yesterday.

OBITUARY NOTICES

STEVENSON—There passed away at an early hour yesterday morning at the family residence, 1008 Pandora Street, William Thomas Stevenson, aged 16 years, a native of Halifax, N. S. The young lad leaves to mourn his loss his mother and father, three sisters and two brothers. The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, whence the funeral will take place on Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Fifteen minutes later mass will be celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral. Rev. Father Wood will officiate. Interment will be made in the family plot at Ross Bay cemetery.

CHRISTIE—The remains of the late Mary Christie, who passed away at her residence, 304 Oswego Street, will be forwarded by the Thomson Funeral Home on Thursday afternoon at 2:15 o'clock to Winnipeg, where interment will take place. Her brother, Duncan Christie, will accompany the remains East.

PURVES—The death occurred yesterday morning at the residence of her son, Mr. F. W. Purves, of 3032 Jutland Road, of Mrs. Theresa Purves, aged 71 years, who was born in Advosate, N. S., and had been a resident of this city for the past three years. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss a husband and four daughters, Mrs. A. H. Ring, of Providence, R. I.; Mrs. H. C. Norwood, Calais, Me.; Mrs. C. F. Clare, Prince Albert, Sask.; and Miss Nellie Purves, at home; also three sons, Mr. C. W. Purves, Inkerman, N. B.; Mr. F. W. Purves, Victoria; and Mr. J. Purves, Vancouver; also thirteen grandchildren. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late residence, Rev. W. G. Wilson officiating, and interment will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

LIDSTONE—The death occurred yesterday morning of Gilbert Lidstone, aged 52 years. An Englishman by birth, he had been a resident of Victoria for the past six weeks, recently living at Grindrod, Okanagan Valley. He is survived by a widow, one son and three brothers. The funeral will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Thursday at 2 o'clock. Rev. W. J. Sipprell will officiate, and interment will be made in Ross Bay cemetery.

CROSS—Entered into rest on January 30, at the Provincial Royal Jubilee Hospital, Harry, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Cross, 1705 Cook Street. The deceased was born in Victoria on April 20, 1898. He is survived by his father, mother, and sister, Lily. The funeral, which will be military, will take place from the B. C. Funeral Parlors, Broughton Street, on Saturday, February 4, at 2 p.m. Rev. G. H. Andrews and Rev. W. Stevenson will officiate. Interment will be in Ross Bay cemetery.

CRIDGE—The funeral of the late Miss Cridge will take place this afternoon from the residence, 238 Government Street, at 2 o'clock, proceeding to the Reformed Episcopal Church, where service will be conducted at 2:15 by the Rev. A. de B. Owen, assisted by Rev. T. W. Gladstone. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery.

PALMER—The funeral of the late ex-Deputy Chief of Police Thomas Palmer will take place from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, where service will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Maclean. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay cemetery.

WOMEN MUST PAY ROAD TAX THIS YEAR

Clauses in By-Law Previously Ignored Will Be Enforced in City's Attempt to Obtain All Available Revenue

Business women will have to pay the road tax in Victoria this year.

The by-laws have always specified that women, not property owners, over twenty-one years of age, who are employed in industry, business or profession, shall pay the two dollar annual tax, as well as men, but in past years the city collectors have been instructed to wink at that section of the ordinance and to enforce it only in respect of men.

It is estimated that the enforcement of this by-law will mean an increase in the city's revenue of between five and ten thousand dollars. Employers of female labor will be charged for the tax, and they, in turn, will be expected to deduct the amount from the salary and wages paid.

The head of one of Victoria's department stores called at the City Hall yesterday and protested.

"I have been asked to pay road taxes for all the women employees in my store," he said. "I never had to do that before. There must be some mistake."

Officials referred to the by-law and assured him that no mistake had been made. Mayor Marchant was consulted, and when he saw the by-law issued an edict at once that it must be enforced equally in respect of men and women.

This action is accepted as another indication that the Council intends this year to ignore no channel of possible revenue.

The text of the by-law is as follows:

1. Subject to the provisos hereinafter contained, every person over the age of 21 years, residing in the city of Victoria, shall, on demand made therefor, pay to the collector of the city of Victoria, at the City Hall, for the use of the corporation, the sum of two dollars ($2.00) per annum by way of annual road tax. Provided always that no person who is assessed in any year for land or real property or improvements shall be liable to pay such road tax for such year; and further provided always that no officer, non-commissioned officer, gunner, private or member of any corps in the Province of British Columbia, of the active militia force of Canada, certified by the officer commanding the corps, to which such militiaman belongs or is attached, as being efficient; or any person over sixty years of age, shall be liable to pay such road tax.

2. Every merchant, farmer, trader or employer of labor shall pay the annual road tax as the same becomes due by any person in his or their employment, and may deduct the amount so paid on account of such person from the amount of salary, wages or compensation due to or to become due to him from such employer, upon production and delivery of the receipt therefor to each person. Every such merchant, farmer, trader or employer of labor shall furnish to the collector, when requested by him so to do, a list of all persons in his employ liable to pay road tax.

Seattle Feels Cold

SEATTLE, Jan. 31.—Seattleites went to work this morning in the face of a brisk northwest wind that forced the thermometer down to a minimum of 24 degrees above zero, two degrees colder than the minimum of 26 recorded yesterday. Weather bureau officials said the frost snap would last another day or two.

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RATEPAYERS HEAR CANDIDATES SPEAK

Councillor Simpson Outlines Platform at Royal Oak Gathering — Reeve Watson Makes Brief Address

About forty ratepayers of Ward 5, Saanich, turned out at the Royal Oak School last night to hear Councillor Francis Simpson, a candidate for the Reeveship, and other aspirants for municipal honors outline their views on matters before the electorate. Mr. J. W. Fullbrook occupied the chair. The meeting was quite orderly.

Councillor Simpson was the first speaker, and he was accorded a patient hearing. The candidate said that the question before the electors is "whether they approve of present conditions in the municipality and the officials who hold the municipal positions?" He declared that as a councillor for Ward 7 he had tried faithfully to represent his constituents, the majority of whom, he believed, had approved of his work. "Even ex-Councillor Dooley did not criticize me when he had an opportunity to do so," Mr. Simpson said.

The speaker pointed out that it was not his desire to hurt anyone holding office or to clash with any individual, but he thought when, in his advocacy of a better system of municipal government, the municipality's employees are brought into question, such persons should submit to fair criticism without feeling badly.

Attitude on Health Centre

Stating that he had somewhat changed his attitude on the Health Centre matter during the past few months, Mr. Simpson said that he had understood that the Centre had been established solely as a clinic where children could be treated. He had since been informed, he declared, that it was originally intended for use as a maternity home. He thought that maternity cases could be cared for at the Health Centre now without much additional expense being incurred.

"Money that we spend is well spent if we get the returns," said the candidate, in referring to his stand that Saanich should continue to provide the necessary educational facilities for the children. He urged his hearers to appoint the very best men available to the council, which would have a say in the appointment of the Trustee Board which will manage the intermunicipal cemetery.

The speaker contended that the Gordon Head waterworks should be completed with the least possible delay, so that the people who are obliged to pay the frontage tax may soon be in receipt of water. He thought that this matter would be the foremost problem which the next Council would have to handle.

Speaks of Wage Reductions

"I have been charged with being in favor of drastic reductions in wages, but this assertion is not a fact. Banks throughout the country are shutting down on credits, wages are dropping and the cost of living has fallen. It is true that I supported the move to reduce the day laborers' wage 50 cents a day, but I didn't hear Reeve Watson oppose this, although he raised objection to the reduction of the higher paid officials in the municipality," affirmed Mr. Simpson.

"I have been charged with entering this campaign in order to satisfy my personal ambitions. Nothing has been further from my mind. It is the verdict of the Attorney-General's department that the recent election is void, and a new election has been ordered. An election cannot be held unless it is open for the people to elect. I have been asked by a large number of ratepayers to oppose the present reeve in this contest, and I have acquiesced in their wishes and now offer my services to the residents of Saanich," the candidate said.

Whenever prices of land fluctuate and vary in a new country, there must be adjustments in the assessments from time to time, to make taxation equitable and fair, Mr. Simpson thought. He favored the assessor making a personal inspection of all properties and giving his valuation thereon. He said that the overhead expenses on agricultural land must come down, or else farmers will be unable to carry on, referring to a number of farms which were being disposed of in Eastern Canada for that reason.

The Sewer By-Law

"The ratepayers of Saanich have the Sewer By-Law to meet, and they should vote on it soon. The Council should never have entered into such a contract with the City of Victoria, and should have, in any case, seen that conditions accruing from it were mutually beneficial," the speaker asserted.

"The people of Saanich should get full information as to what is being done at the Council meetings, and there should be no closed doors to the public unless personalities or persons are being considered. The ratepayers are entitled to know what their elected representatives are doing on their behalf."

In conclusion, Mr. Simpson assured his hearers that he had no strings attached to him, that he had not asked for nor would give favors to anyone, and that his whole time would be, if elected, at the disposal of the municipality, whose business he promised to give careful attention to at all times.

Following Mr. Simpson's address, a number of questions were asked the speaker. When these had been answered, Mr. Simpson and his chairman, Mr. Fullbrook, left the meeting to attend a gathering in Ward Two. Mr. H. H. Grist was then appointed chairman, and Reeve Watson addressed the electors.

Reeve Watson Speaks

Reeve Watson briefly explained his position on the question of the Health Centre, claiming that he had always regarded it as a matter which the Provincial Government should have looked after.

The speaker dealt at length with the matter of the Northwest Sewer agreement. He said that the 1913 Saanich Council had agreed to pay Victoria its share in connection with the laying of the said sewer, and while the ratepayers had never sanctioned the work, the Council acted after receiving representations from a number of individuals in Saanich who supported the proposal. Saanich agreed to pay a certain proportion of the cost of the sewers, he said, the terms being embodied in the agreement.

To the charge that the 1920 Council had saddled the municipality with the sum of $54,000 for this work, Reeve Watson said that people who would receive the benefits from the sewers would be the ones required to pay for the undertaking and not the ratepayers of Saanich as a whole.

The Recent Election

The Reeve declared that every candidate who filed nomination papers at the last Saanich election was responsible for the technical error that was made. "The Municipal Act states that all candidates must present declarations of property qualifications," he pointed out, adding that the returning officer was not required to call for such declarations.

The statement has been made that owing to the technical error, the municipality has been put to a lot of legal expense in attempting to straighten out the matter. The Reeve said that he had been informed by the municipality's solicitors that the controversy over the recent election would not cost Saanich one cent in legal fees.

Mr. Hobbs, who was elected a school trustee at the recent election, addressed the meeting, stating that he was in the field again and that his motto, "economy with efficiency," would direct his actions if accorded the endorsation of the electorate.

Mr. George Cheatham announced that he would run for school trustee if Trustee Thorne decides definitely to resign. Mr. A. E. Hull told what the last School Board had done for the children of Saanich and appealed for support in the coming election. He said he favored a high school for the municipality if the people were ready for it.

Mr. Pym, who was elected as councillor for Ward Five recently, thanked all who had supported him in that contest.

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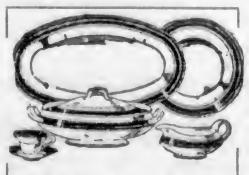

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Grated Codfish, per pkt.,	18¢
Black or White Cooking Figs, 2 lbs. for	35¢
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Cabaret Postponed—A cabaret will be held by the Knights of Columbus at the K. of C. Hall on February 20. The affair has been postponed from the original date owing to the death of His Holiness the Pope.

The Canadian Scottish—With a view to the reorganization of the pipe band, a meeting of pipers will be held at the Armory tomorrow, at 8 p.m. It is hoped there will be a large turnout of those interested. There will be a practice on the miniature range in the basement of the Armory at the same time.

COMB SAGE TEA IN FADED OR GRAY HAIR

If Mixed With Sulphur It Darkens So Naturally Nobody Can Tell

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied, with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

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City and District in Brief

Small Fires—A roof fire early yesterday morning at the corner of Dallas Road and May Street gave the fire brigade a run at 3:35. Some slight damage was done to the dwelling.

Minister to Mainland—Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines and Commissioner of Fisheries, left last night for Vancouver, where, tonight, he will be the guest of honor at the dinner being given by the Canadian Fisheries Association at the Hotel Elysium, a feature of the Fish Day celebration. He will speak on the fish industry of the Province.

Confirmed in Office—By order-in-council passed yesterday, Mr. James Owens, successful candidate for the office of police commissioner at the recent Saanich election, was confirmed in the office, and thereby the necessity of another election consequent upon the technical defects which arose for the election of reeve and councillors will be obviated.

Amalgamated Veterans—A special meeting of the executive council of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association will be held tonight at 8 o'clock in the secretary's office, 127 Pemberton Building. The advisability of sending a delegate to the coming amalgamation conference in Winnipeg will be considered and other important topics dealt with. Every member is urged to be present.

Debate at Y.M.C.A.—A debate was staged last evening at the Y.M.C.A. Building, betwsen the Army and Young Men's Clubs. While the former organization had only one of their speakers present, Mr. Oswyn Boulton, he was successful in defeating his two opponents, Messrs. Fred Bartholomew and Dick Lipsey. The subject was "Resolved, That Strikes Are Justifiable."

Royal Bank Dance—The staff of the local branches of the Royal Bank of Canada is holding another of its successful Winter dances on Friday, February 10, in the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street. Dancing will be from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Perry's orchestra will provide the dance music. A buffet supper will be served during the evening. Dress for the affair will be strictly informal.

Young Conservatives to Meet—The regular monthly meeting of the Young Conservatives' Club will be held in the clubrooms in the Campbell Building tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock. After the business it is expected that Mr. R. H. Pooley, member of the Provincial Legislature for Esquimalt, will address the meeting. All new members are specially asked to be present.

Find Body—Word reached the Provincial police department here yesterday of the finding on Monday at Otter Bay, Pender Island, of the body of John Kramer, who had been drowned. Papers in the pockets indicated that a sister of deceased is residing in Calgary, and the police there have been communicated with. Details of the cause of drowning have not been secured.

Veterans of France—The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Veterans of France will be held tomorrow night, at 8 o'clock. Matters in connection with the reorganization of the association and its recently inaugurated membership campaign will be dealt with. All members are expected to be present. A special meeting of the executive council will be held at 7:30 p.m., prior to the general gathering.

Hollywood Presbyterian Mission—The ladies of the Hollywood Presbyterian Mission, Foul Bay, will meet at the home of Mrs. Baylis, 330 Robertson Street, on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock, to make final arrangements for the cafeteria supper to be held shortly in the Mission Hall. Considerable interest is being shown in this novel form of entertainment, which will take place on Wednesday, February 8.

To Aid Hygiene Council—The first of a series of whist drives in aid of the Esquimalt Child Hygiene Council will be held on Saturday night next in Nelson's Hall, 527 Nelson Street. The card playing will commence at 8:30 o'clock. Splendid prizes will be awarded the winners of the evening's play. Refreshments will also be served. Tickets for the affair can be obtained from Mrs. Herbert Merry, Mrs. W. H. Booth, Mr. George J. Cook or any member of the committee arranging the tournament.

Hits Police Patrol—By a narrow margin, T. S. Home missed driving his motor truck through the police motor patrol at the intersection of Government and Johnson Streets Monday night at 9:15 o'clock. The truck was proceeding south along Government Street when the patrol dashed across the street westerly on to lower Johnson Street. The truck crashed into the rear of the police vehicle, tearing off a rear mudguard and doing other damage.

Navy League of Canada—The annual meeting of the Navy League of Canada, Victoria branch, will take place on Tuesday evening, February 14, at 8 o'clock, at the Chamber of Commerce, Arcade Building. All nominations for officers and committees must be made in writing, and signed by a proposer and seconder, and must be deposited with the secretary at 1014 A Broad Street, not later than February 7.

Successful Whist Drive—The Capital City Lodge, Royal True Blue, No. 303, held a very enjoyable whist drive last night at the home of Mrs. Donald McKenzie, 1124 McKenzie Street. The winners of the evening's tournament were as follows: First lady, Mrs. L. L. Guptil; second lady, Mrs. Carter; first gentleman, Mr. D. McKenzie; second gentleman, Mr. Gallop. Refreshments were served during the evening by Mrs. McKenzie, the hostess.

Judgment for Plaintiff — Trial of the action of Moody against Savage was concluded before His Honor Judge Lampman in the County Court last Monday. The plaintiff sued for the recovery of the sum of $250, being moneys alleged to be loaned to the defendant on the security of real property. Judgment for the plaintiff was given in the sum of $134. Mr. T. M. Miller appeared for the plaintiff; and Mr. E. H. M. Foote for the defendant.

Interesting Lecture — Dr. L. K. Poynts, in his concluding address on the commercial uses of radium, held the attention of a very large audience at the Centennial Forum last Sunday afternoon. The lecture was extremely interesting and instructive. Dr. Poynts referred to the great value of radium in the treatment of cancer. A hearty vote of appreciation was given the speaker at the close of the meeting. President J. Glasford acted as chairman at both lectures.

Dramatic Recital—Miss Nina V. Porter will be heard in recital in the Metropolitan Church Friday evening, February 10. Miss Porter, in addition to her ability as a dramatic reader, is a young lady of charming personality, and is in demand as an entertainer in concert circles in Vancouver, where she is a teacher of elocution. Miss Porter will make her first appearance in this city on the occasion of her recital in the Metropolitan Church.

Shock Registered Here—One of the most severe earthquakes that has been registered at the Gonzales Hill seismograph was recorded early yesterday morning. The first shock came at 5:18, and the second at 5:24, with a third wave a few minutes later. The instrument continued to register the disturbance for two hours. Superintendent F. Napier Denison said the indications were that the centre of the quake was somewhere off the Central or South American coast.

St. John's Men's Society—The St. John's Men's Society will hold the annual meeting in the Sunday School of St. John's Church tomorrow evening, when the officers for the coming year will be elected and other business discussed. During the past year the officers were: President, Mr. R. Tubb; chaplain, Rev. F. A. P. Chadwick; secretary-treasurer, Mr. S. C. Hawkins. Under the chairmanship of Mr. Tubb the society has steadily forged ahead. One of the objects of the society will be to aid in securing funds for the parochial hall.

Veterans' Entertainment—The committee in charge of the social and dance which was held at the K. of C. Hall on Friday evening, January 27, under the auspices of the Women's Auxiliary and the Amalgamated Veterans' Association wishes to thank all who generously contributed to make the event such a great success. Particular thanks are tendered the donors of refreshments and the artists and the orchestra who added so much to the enjoyment of the evening, and to the various members of the association.

Elks' Dance Tonight—The Elks' Amateur Club will hold another of its enjoyable social dances tonight, commencing at 9 o'clock, in the Elks' club quarters, Weller Block. An energetic committee composed of Messrs. Ernie Stock, chairman, Jack Woods, Jimmy Stewart, William White and Cecil Ross have all arrangements for the function well in hand. Professor Ozard's orchestra will provide an attractive variety of dance numbers. A buffet supper will be served at 11 p.m. The dance is strictly an invitation affair.

City Summons Cases—Four persons were fined in the City Police Court last Monday for infractions of the motor traffic by-laws, three of them for driving their cars after sunset without having two headlights affixed. J. Beckerly and J. H. Lusse were fined $5 each on that charge, but H. Buheris, who convinced the magistrate that the trouble was owing to the snowstorm last Friday night, got off with the nominal imposition of $1. W. Sutton was fined $5 for parking his car in the business district of the city in a manner contrary to the regulations.

Mill Burners Defective—Fire Chief Vernon M. Stewart reported to the Council last Monday night that the burners at the Canadian Puget Sound and Cameron mills were in a bad state of repair, that several feet of screen were missing from one side of the Moore & Whittington mill's burner, and that the Lemon & Gonnason and Leigh's mill burners were in good shape. The mills with defective burners will be requested to repair them at once. It is believed that they are the cause of the so-called cinder nuisance.

Lecture on Rhodesia—St. Mark's Hall, Oak Bay, was crowded Monday night when Mr. H. Masters gave a lecture on Rhodesia, under the auspices of the men's club of St. Mark's Church, for the benefit of the hall renovation fund. There were few empty seats in the hall and the lecture was listened to with great interest. Mr. Masters spent about eight years in Rhodesia and has some very vivid stories to tell about the country. The peculiarities of the natives and their uncivilized customs afforded a topic of great interest to the audience last night.

Remanded for Judgment — James Hilton and Samuel Graham, aged 22 and 17 years respectively, pleaded guilty before Magistrate Jay yesterday to seven charges of stealing motor accessories. The young men, who were represented by Messrs. Sydney Child and R. C. Lowe, put themselves upon the mercy of the court. Another charge is pending against the defendants in the Saanich Police Court. A miscellaneous collection of tools, motor accessories and equipment, and three bicycles, found in the possession of the young men, is in the hands of the Saanich police officers, by whom the accused were arrested.

Oak Bay Fire Protection—Members of the City Council will shortly confer with representatives of the Oak Bay Council with a view to revising the present agreement under which Oak Bay is afforded fire protection by the city. The amount now paid to the city by Oak Bay annually, $5,400, is regarded as inadequate. Twelve thousand dollars was suggested by the Public Utilities Committee as a more reasonable sum, in view of the fact that the cost per capita to Victoria taxpayers is $4 per annum, and at present to Oak Bay taxpayers only ninety cents.

Social Service Conference—The Social Service Council conference, realizing the need for advancement of the work, will hold an open conference on Saturday evening, February 4, at 8 o'clock, in the City Hall. Two expert social service workers will speak at this meeting, Miss Evelyn Gardner and Miss Cotter. The subjects for discussion will be organization of social service, and methods of constructive social service for families. Everyone interested in the work is invited to attend and take part in the free discussion at the close of the addresses.

Court Discharges Addict—In considering the case of Ellen Milne, a drug addict charged with vagrancy in the City Police Court yesterday, Magistrate Jay once more voiced his wish that there were some institution other than jail to which he might commit such persons as the defendant. "But there is no place but jail," said His Honor, "and the accused in this case has done nothing to warrant my sending her there." Detective Sergeant O'Leary informed the court that there was nothing against the defendant except that she was a drug addict; but that that addiction had made her case a very lamentable one. The charge was dismissed.

Night Class in Agriculture—The popular course in beekeeping given by Mr. G. D. Davis having been completed, the regular night class will continue as per schedule at the High School. Wednesday evening will be spent in the practical study of milk and milk products. The class will be shown how to make a Babcock test for butter fat and will test samples of milk themselves. With the exception of a general review, which will come at the end of the course, this will complete the special work in dairy management. A brief study of modern methods in poultry raising will follow, and the remainder of the time will be given to the management of home gardens and the principle of seed production.

Girls' Corner Club—The club will meet on Thursday evening in their new quarters, in the Liberal rooms, over Victoria Book & Stationery Co., 1002 Government Street, where the usual business girls' supper will be served at 6:15 o'clock, friends from St. Paul's kindly assisting. After supper Mr. W. A. Fuller, superintendent of the Shantymens' Christian Association, will give a lecture, illustrated by colored slides, showing some of the wildest scenery in British Columbia, which faithfully portray the mining settlements on the Coast. These pictures are being shown for the first time in Victoria, and will, no doubt, attract a large audience of Corner Club members and their friends.

Last Month's Weather—The mean temperature for the month was 36, which is 3 degrees below the average. The highest temperature was 47, on the 10th, and the lowest was 21, on the 20th inst. The lowest temperature on the ground was 18, on the 31st. The total rainfall was 2 inches and the snow 7.7, making a total precipitation of 2.77 inches, which is 1.54 inches below the average. The total recorded bright sunshine was 107 hours and 6 minutes, which is 36 hours above the average. This total is equal to an average daily allowance of three and one-half hours. The temperature has risen in northern British Columbia, and higher temperatures are expected on this part of the Pacific Slope.

Wong Sing Discharged—Wong Sing, alias Li Mon, was charged in the City Police Court last Monday with being found in an opium resort at Cabin 28, Theatre Alley. City Prosecutor Harrison said that the accused had been brought into court in consequence of the evidence given in court last week by Wong Yu Jung, who was fined on a similar charge. Jung had asserted that after his own arrest last Wednesday, Li Mon had been arrested, taken to Esquimalt, and there fined $50 and $2.50 costs. Wong Sing altogether repudiated this allegation in court yesterday. Constables Knight and Broadbelt, R.C.M.P., testified that they had not arrested Wong with Jung, because the former was suffering from a badly-cut foot. Magistrate Jay dismissed the charge against Wong Sing.

Semenoff's Civil Action—The action of Nick Semenoff, who claimed $140 from Mrs. Olga Drayman on a mechanic's lien, was dismissed by His Honor Judge Lampman in the County Court yesterday. The plaintiff is serving a three-year penitentiary sentence, inflicted by Mr. Justice Murphy at the last Assize Court here, on a conviction of burning down the house of Mrs. Drayman, at Roderick Street, Saanich. Semenoff was not present to prosecute his action yesterday, nor was he represented by counsel. Judge Lampman also dismissed a counterclaim for damages by the Draymans. It is understood that preliminary action has been taken to obtain a new trial for Semenoff on the charge of arson; and that Mr. Justice Murphy will be asked to subscribe to the requisite petition in that sense to the Dominion Minister of Justice.

Building Society — The twentieth annual meeting of the Victoria No. 2 Building Society was held last night at 402 Pemberton Building. The society is now on the point of paying out the last loan, and the method by which the winding up process is to be commenced was the subject of a decision arrived at by the meeting. It will take some years yet to complete the operation. The directors elected for the ensuing year are Messrs. A. E. Mallett, W. H. Lettice, J. R. Clements, Thomas Walker and Ruther Wilson. Messrs. Mallett and Lettice were elected president and vice-president at a subsequent meeting of the board. Mr. T. J. Goodlake was re-elected secretary, Mr. W. P. Marchant solicitor and Mr. J. G. Brown surveyor. Messrs. William Benwcroft and J. A. Grant were elected auditors. The reports and financial statement were received and adopted, the latter showing a substantial accumulation of profits.

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Open Child's Bowels With "California Fig Syrup"

Hurry Mother! A teaspoonful of "California Fig Syrup" now will thoroughly clean the little bowels and in a few hours you have a well, playful child again. Even a cross, feverish, constipated child loves its "fruity" taste, and mothers can rest easy because it never fails to work all the sour bile and poisons right out of the stomach and bowels without griping or upsetting the child.

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Stealing. Fox Trot. J. C. Smith's Orchestra.
All That I Need Is You. Fox Trot. Club Royal Orchestra.
Ty-Tee. Fox Trot. Whiteman's Orchestra.
Rose of My Soul. John Steel.
I've Got My Habits On. Miss Patricola.
Molly-O. William Robyn.
For Ever and Ever. De Gogorza.
Alice, Where Art Thou? Mischa Elman.
Ol' Car'lina. Galli-Curci.

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Aluminum Double Saucepans, 2-quart size, in pure metal; $2.75 value. Sale price	$1.89
3-Quart Aluminum Saucepan and Cover, brightly finished, pure metal; $2.75 value. Sale price	$1.59
Galvanized Wash Boiler, No. 8 size; will not rust. Sale price each	$1.49
Aluminum Coffee Percolators, 5-cup size; $3.50 value. Sale price	$1.69
Pure Aluminum Tea Kettles, No. 8 size, 5-quart capacity; seamless body; $4.00 value. Sale price	$2.95

$2.35 Aluminum Fry Pan $1.35

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No detail is overlooked in the Moulthrop Chair Desk. The legs are fitted with silent gliders, which allow the desk to be moved without noise or damage to polished floors.

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THE WEATHER

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., January 31, 1922.

SYNOPSIS

The temperatures are rising on the Northern Coast, and milder weather may become general west of the Rockies. Zero temperatures continue on the Prairies.

TEMPERATURE

	Min.	Max.
Victoria, B.C.	22	35
Vancouver	16	27
Kamloops	8	4
Barkerville	16	6
Prince Rupert	18	36
Atlin	4	6
Dawson, Y.T.	24	4
Calgary, Alta.	21	10
Winnipeg, Man.	6	2
Portland, Ore.	34	56
San Francisco, Cal.	40	54
Seattle, Wash.	34	52
Penticton	6	11
Grand Forks	7	21
Nelson	9	30
Cranbrook	12	8

TUESDAY

Highest	35
Lowest	22
Average	28
Minimum on grass	18

Bright sunshine, 8 hours, 50 minutes.
General state of weather, fine.

Pass Loan By-law—The City Council spent only three minutes last Monday in passing the annual loan by-law, authorizing the borrowing of $500,000 from the bank for current expenses pending tax payments. The bank declined to loan the customary $750,000.

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Store Closes Today at One o'Clock

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Served today from 11:30 to 12:45—Fourth Floor

After Stocktaking Clearance Bargains For This Morning's Shoppers

In the course of taking stock many odd lines have come to light which must not be carried over. These we have marked at such low prices that a speedy clearance is assured. Early shoppers will get best choice.

Pretty as the Prettiest Picture Are These New

Spring Hats

The very newest creations in advance Spring Millinery make their appearance here today for the first time. From the score of distinctive types which will be on display we picture here a style that strikes us as one which will win instant favor.

The new models are developed from rich satins, taffeta and faille silk cleverly combined with straw. Colors favor the brighter tones from the brilliant bonfire to the vivid shades of hollyhock and rubellite, tangerine, henna, cornflower and other of the higher shades are also greatly favored. Trimmings include beads and brightly colored embroidery as well as flowers and fruit combinations.

Included also in this advance showing are some smart English made Ready-to-Wear Sport Hats which are sure to be greatly admired.

—Millinery Dept.—2nd Floor

Women's Striped Flannelette Pajamas at $2.25 a Suit

Of fine quality pink and blue striped flannelette, in coat style; high neck and long sleeves; patch pockets on coat; side button fastening. Sizes 36 to 42. This morning's selling, per suit **$2.25**
2nd Floor

Women's Flannelette Pajamas at $2.50 a Suit

Of fine quality white or stripe flannelette, in a large variety of styles; coat and one-piece effects; high neck and button front or V neck in slip-over style; trimmed with silk ribbon, in pink or blue. Sizes 36 to 40. This morning's selling, per suit **$2.50**
—2nd Floor

St. Margaret's English Made Sweaters for Girls

Made from fine quality pure wool, in slip-over style, with turn-over collar of double material; three button front. Come in shades of brown, navy, saxe and cream. Prices according to size. Each, from ..... **$2.50** to **$3.25**
—2nd Floor

Boy's Fine Pure Wool Jerseys at $2.25 Each

English knit; very fine wool, with polo collar. Our best quality Boys' Sweater. All sizes; in blue, brown and green. Value $2.95. This morning's selling, each **$2.25**
—Main Floor

Remnants of Wool Fabrics at Half Price

This morning's shoppers will certainly save money on these remnants of wool dress fabrics. Choice of novelty plaids, serges, armures, freizes, clan tartans, tweeds, coatings, velours, etc. Lengths for most purposes

Half Price

—Main Floor

Three-Quarter Bed Size White Flannelette Blankets at $1.98 a Pair

Best Quality White Flannelette Blankets, made from thick soft lofty yarns; pink or blue borders. Limit, two pairs to a customer. Special for this morning's selling, per pair **$1.98**
—Main Floor

36-Inch Check Taffeta Silks at 98c a Yard

Only 150 yards of these desirable taffetas in neat checks of black and white, navy and white and brown and white. Weight for dresses and waists. Value $1.98 a yard. Special for this morning's selling, per yard **98c**
—Main Floor

This Morning's Notion Specials

Shoe Trees
Made of all metal, in black or steel; English imported. Value 15c a pair. Special for this morning's selling, per pair **10c**

Women's Bone Barrettes
In dark shade; value 20c. Special for this morning's selling, each **15c**

Revolving Needle Cases
50 Needles in case, assorted sizes, 4 to 8 and 3 to 7. Value 35c. Special for this morning's selling, per case **25c**

Veil Pins
Steel, with black or white heads; four pins on a card. Value 8c. Special for this morning's selling, 3 cards, **25c**

Porpoise Leather Boot or Shoe Laces
In black or brown. Value 20c a pair. Special for this morning's selling, per pair **15c**

Invisible Hair Pins in Boxes
Three sizes in a box; in black or bronze. Value 10c a box. Special for this morning's selling, 3 boxes, **25c**
—Main Floor

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See Our Advertisements in This Evening's Times and Tomorrow's Colonist for the Greatest Home Furnishing Bargains of the Season.

Note These Wonderful Values in Women's Hosiery

Women's Black Cashmere Hose
Hemmed tops; reinforced heels and toes; a good wearing and warm hose. Per pair **$1.00**

Heather Cashmere Hose
In mixtures of brown only. British made, very warm and comfortable. This morning's selling, per pair **$1.25**

Broken Lines in Lisle Hosiery
Come in plain, striped, or with clox; colors of black, grey, champagne, Palm Beach and white. Special at, per pair **39c**
—Main Floor

Seal of Quality Preparations for Coughs and Colds

Three good things which you should keep handy during these Wintry days:

Laxative Cold Tablets
Quick acting tablets to relieve cold in the head or that "grippy" feeling. Per box **25c**

White Pine Tar Cough Syrup
Stops the cough quickly. Per bottle **50c**

Palatable Extract of Cod Liver Oil
Specially useful in run-down conditions following coughs or colds. Per bottle **$1.00**
—Main Floor

Groceries

Comox Creamery Butter, 1 lb. prints	50c
Strictly Fresh Local Eggs, per dozen	40c
Finest Ontario Cheese, lb.	25c
Hirondelli's Macaroni, 16-oz. package	16c
Bird's Custard Powder, per package	18c
Surprise Doughnuts, per doz.	25c
Shelly's 4X Bread, 3 for	25c
Kershaw's Loganberry Juice, per bottle	65c
Dominion Brand Hops, small package	12c
Large package	22c
B & K Yellow Corn Meal, 6-lb. bag	40c
Pot Barley, 4 lbs. for	25c

—Lower Main Floor

Slip-On Veils at 3 for 25c

The new slip-over Veil requires no tying or pinning; just slip on, and is self adjusting; in colors of black, brown, purple, navy and taupe. This morning's selling ..... 3 for **25c**

Mona Lisa Veils at 25c Each

The famous Mona Lisa Veil, in medium mesh, in black, brown, navy or taupe. Special for this morning's selling, each **25c**
Main Floor

Clean-Up of Better Quality Beacon Bath Robes, Values to $19.75 for $13.95

Some very handsome models included in this lot; in satin trimmed or mannish style; finished with roll collar and two-tone cord, or sailor collar trimmed with broad band of satin; long sleeves and patch pockets. Some have deep borders in nice soft colorings; all finished with heavy silk girdles. Come in shades of tan, blue, navy, mauve and rose. Values to $19.75. To clear at, each **$13.95**
—2nd Floor

New Spring Suit Modes Reveal Springtime Smartness

The smart new lines and charming simplicity of the new Spring Suits, an advance shipment of which we have just received from New York, are sure to please those women who like to wear what is really individual and most effective.

These suits, typifying the very newest and finest examples of Spring modes are tailored from tricotines, Poiret twill and French serges in navy, black, reindeer and grey.

Coats are shorter than the Fall models while the skirts are somewhat longer and fuller. Some models show the new blouse effect handsomely trimmed with cire braid and smart buttons. Others favor the side ripple effect with trimmings of military braid. Sleeves are mostly wide at the cuffs, while the narrow belts with tassel ends are still greatly favored. Prices ..... **$45.00** to **$69.50**

We invite you to visit this department this morning and view our Spring displays.

—2nd Floor

Remnants of Ribbon at Half Price

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—Main Floor

Cup and Saucer, 25c

Many were disappointed in not being able to secure a share in the last cup and saucer bargain we offered. For today we have secured another two case lot, comprising 60 dozen, in a dainty Ovide cup and saucer. Value 40c. Special for this morning's selling, cup and saucer **25c**

The Always Useful Cream Jug, 15c

10 dozen Tankard Jugs, in dainty "Mikado" blue decoration. These will be picked up quickly. This morning's selling, each **15c**
—Lower Main Floor

All-Copper Boilers at $4.25 Each

12 only, All-Copper Boilers. These will sell quickly this morning. The price is only slightly more than a tin boiler with copper bottom. This morning's selling, each **$4.25**

50 Galvanized Tubs at $1.69 and $1.95 Each

25 only, size No. 2. This morning's special, **$1.69**
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Boys' Brushed Wool Golf Hose, $1.50 Pr.

English knit pure wool, with fancy tops; just 36 pairs to sell, and the best hose you can buy. Value $2.50. Special for this morning's selling, per pair **$1.50**
—Main Floor

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This Morning's Specials in the Men's Dept.

Men's Pure Wool Half Hose at 50c a Pair
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Men's Natural Wool Union Suits at $2.75 Each
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—Main Floor

Men's Fancy Cotton Pajamas at $3.75
Fancy weave cotton in white with blue, black and mauve stripes; silk braid button holes, and a smart looking pajama. This morning's selling, special **$3.75**
—Main Floor

Men's Tweed Caps, Values $3.00 and $4.00 for $2.50
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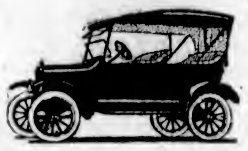

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VERNON BOARD FAVORS ANTI-DUMPING CLAUSE

VERNON, Jan. 31.—At the annual meeting of the Vernon Board of Trade, on Monday night, the action of the Vancouver Board of Trade in passing a resolution asking for the repeal of the Anti-Dumping Act was criticized.

The matter will be discussed by Associated Boards of Trade of the Okanagan at a meeting to be held at Kelowna on Thursday.

W. E. McTaggart was elected president for the ensuing year. Other officers are W. M. Winslow, vice-president, H. F. Beattie, secretary-treasurer.

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Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., Will Hold Children's Party on Wedding Day of Britain's Royal Daughter

The Lady Alderson Chapter, I. O. D. E., is planning to celebrate the marriage day of Princess Mary by holding a children's party at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday, February 28, from 4 to 8 p.m. This entertainment will be arranged entirely for children of twelve years and under—although tables for spectators may be reserved round the ballroom, where tea may be served to patrons of the event, as at the The Dansant.

The party will be specially designated as a Spring and wedding party, and will be opened by a procession of children representing a Lyric of Spring. All children bearing the name of Mary are asked to wear white, or to represent a white flower, and will form a special feature of the procession. Prizes will be offered for the best carried out costume representing the spirit of Spring or any other attribute of that season.

Mrs. Walter Nichol has most graciously accorded her patronage, and has offered a prize—other prizes will be presented by Lady Barnard, Mrs. E. G. Prior, and the Lady Alderson Chapter.

The occasion should prove a popular one, for all British people love the Princess Mary, and the vision of her so dear to all hearts is not entirely that glamor that surrounds a princess in the fairy dreams of childhood, but of a young girl whose early womanhood was shadowed by the horrors of war, and who immediately took her share of its burden, and led the girlhood of the Empire in patriotic service. Later she is seen visiting school, factory and hospital, and showing a deep interest in the welfare and environment of the workers, the young and the afflicted.

Perhaps the most fascinating and never-to-be-forgotten picture is that of the Princess and her brother, the Prince of Wales, taking "a day off" in Epping Forest, and sharing the Bank Holiday revels with the happy crowds of tired Londoners. This Prince and Princess are indeed the dear and well beloved friends of the entire nation, and it is on this account that the Lady Alderson Chapter want to make the date, and impress it upon the hearts of the children, who may long be spared to owe them their fondest allegiance.

The Chapter therefore asks every mother to be interested in, and to let her children take part in this event, particulars of which may be obtained from Mrs. Hasell, regent, and members of the Chapter. Further particulars will appear from time to time in the press, and tickets will be on sale shortly at the leading stores. Tables should be reserved early.

SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Mr. W. Walton, of Calgary, is a guest at the Strathcona Hotel.

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Mr. W. A. Irish and wife, Winnipeg, are guests at the Empress Hotel.

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Mr. and Mr. Wilkie, of Tofield, Alberta, are staying at the Empress Hotel.

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Major and Mrs. Hungerford Pollen, of Kootenay, have arrived in Victoria on a visit.

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Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Hoak, of Joan Crescent, are receiving congratulations upon the birth of a son on January 28.

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The many friends of A. N. Mouat, Comptroller-General, will regret to learn that he is confined to his home with a severe attack of influenza.

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Major and Mrs. E. R. Taylor, of 131 Clarence Street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter.

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Mrs. A. C. Burdick entertained at dinner last night at her home on Terrace Avenue. Covers were laid for twelve.

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Miss Galletley, who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Flummerfelt, is now the guest of Miss Adair, of Rockland Avenue.

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Mrs. G. John Jackson (nee Bounie McKlee), of Simcoe, Ontario, will receive for the first time since her marriage this afternoon from 4 o'clock to 6 o'clock, at her home, Suite 14 Hampton Court Apartments, Cook Street.

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Mr. C. McFarlan and Mr. E. McFarlan, Denman Island; Mr. W. E. McLaren and Mr. R. McLaren, Neepawa, Man.; Mr. and Mrs. F. Manson, Winnipeg, and Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett, Winnipeg, are guests at the Dominion Hotel.

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On Monday evening Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Hill entertained at dinner at their home on St. Charles Street, when their guests included Chief Justice and Mrs. Macdonald, Mrs. J. H. King, Mrs. R. P. Rithet, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wilson, R. F. Taylor and B. C. Nicholas.

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The Unique Club met recently at the home of Mrs. Edmonds, 1025 Redfern Street, Oak Bay, when fifty guests enjoyed the five hundred drive. The prizewinners were Mrs. Crossman, Mr. Jacklin, Mrs. Rogers, and consolation, Mrs. Bruce and Mr. Waller. The club will hold its next drive at the home of Mrs. Leeman, 658 Langford Street, Victoria West, tomorrow.

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Mrs. William Sloan entertained yesterday afternoon at her residence, Joan Crescent, in honor of Mrs. J. H. King, who is shortly leaving for Ottawa. The hostess was assisted in receiving the numerous guests by Mrs. J. W. deB. Farris, Mrs. T. D. Pattullo and Mrs. J. D. MacLean. The tea-table was charmingly arranged with masses of daffodils, and about forty guests were present during the reception.

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Mrs. J. A. Turner, of "Balgreggan," Uplands, entertained at a bridge party on Monday afternoon complimentary to Mrs. King and Mrs. Lanigan. Among those present were: Mrs. King, Mrs. Lanigan, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald, Mrs. M. A. Macdonald, of Vancouver; Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mrs. MacCallum, of Regina, Mrs. Fred Jones, Mrs. Johnston, Mrs. Bennett, Mrs. Fleet Robertson, Mrs. Redpath and Mrs. Ashworth.

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On Saturday afternoon Mrs. Wilson-Jones, the talented vocalist, entertained her numerous pupils at her studio in the Balmoral Hotel. A delightful programme of vocal music was provided by the pupils, who have the privilege of commenting and criticising on each other's progress. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess, assisted by some of the guests. It is expected that these helpful pleasant gatherings will in future be monthly events.

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The New Literary Society has selected an amusing play for its next meeting. On Wednesday, February 8, George Bernard Shaw's inimitable satire on the medical profession, which he calls "A Doctor's Dilemma," will be given as a dramatic reading at the Empress Hotel at 3:30 p.m. Owing to the large attendance at the reading of "Philip the King," a larger room has been engaged for the Shaw play. Major Bullock-Webster has been fortunate in securing the assistance of some new talent, as well as that of several local favorites. Mrs. (Billy) Rochfort will take the part of the artist's wife, Jennifer. Colonel Hungerford Pollen, O.C. Kootenay Regiment, will be Sir Ralph Bloomfield Bonnington. Miss Gubby Butler will be Emmy. Mr. H. F. Hewett takes the part of the eminent surgeon Cutler Walpole. Captain Van der Byl is Dr. Schutzmacher. Mr. Alex. McPhillips will be Louis, the blackguard artist. Mrs. Gwynne Meredith has very kindly consented to read all the explanations. This reading will be open to the public.

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Among the members of the Girl Guides who were guests of Mrs. Walter C. Nichol at Government House last Saturday afternoon, were: Mrs. Lake, Divisional Commissioner for Vancouver; Mrs. Tyrell Godman, Divisional Commissioner for Victoria; Miss Denny, Divisional Commissioner for Cowichan; Madame Gavereau, District Commissioner for New Westminster; Mrs. Gavin, District Commissioner for Burnaby; Miss Leighton, District Commissioner for Victoria; Miss Geoghegan, of Duncan, Miss Palmer, of South Cowichan; Miss Leigh, of Burnaby; Miss Brown, of Metchosin; Mrs. Dailey, Miss Hunter, Miss Cotton, Miss Unwin, Mrs. Goward (Brown Owl), Miss Wallich, of Cowichan Station; Miss Wright, of Sooke; Miss Walmesley, of Vancouver; Miss R. Carey, Miss Stewart Williams, Mrs. Palmer, of Cowichan Station; Mrs. Stein, of Cobble Hill; Miss Davidson, of Cobble Hill; Mrs. Willett, of Sooke; Mrs. Peers of Metchosin; Mrs. Elwood, of Metchosin, and Miss Alexander.

KEATING

Mr. W. McKay has returned home after spending a week with friends in Vancouver.

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Little Lola Hull, who recently came from the Prairies to visit her aunt, Miss Hansen, has been seriously ill with pneumonia, but is now making favorable progress towards recovery.

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The dance which was held under the auspices of the trustees on Friday evening was not as largely attended as usual, but those who were present were well entertained. Perry's orchestra supplied the latest dance hits, and supper was in the hands of a committee of ladies who are experts in catering at affairs of this kind.

WEDDINGS

Reid-Carlos

St. Paul's Church, Esquimalt, was the scene of a very pretty wedding last Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when the Rev. Baugh-Allen celebrated the marriage of Margaret Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. D. Carlos, of Esquimalt, and R. Barry Reid, son of the late P. E. Reid and Mrs. Reid, of Esquimalt. The bride, who was given away by her father, looked charming in a French model gown of white crepe de Chine, trimmed with pale lemon ribbon; she also wore the conventional wedding veil, crowned with a wreath of orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of lillies and carnations. Miss Susan Carlos attended her sister as bridesmaid, wearing a frock of pale pink crepe de Chine, with hat to match. Little Miss Beatrice Carlos was the flower girl, and looked very sweet in a white silk dress and veil. The groom was supported by Mr. Joseph Jewkes as best man. Following the ceremony a reception was held at the home of the bride's parents, 1045 Esquimalt Road, where about 100 guests assembled to present their good wishes to Mr. and Mrs. Barry Reid, whose wide popularity was manifested by the numerous costly and beautiful gifts they received. The groom's gift to the bride was a handsome gold pendant with pearl settings. After a short honeymoon spent up the Island, Mr. and Mrs. Reid will make their future home in Esquimalt.

CONTINENTAL LIFE STRENGTHENS POSITION

While the writing of big business is gratifying to life insurance companies,—as it means bigger things in the future—it necessarily imposes immediate burdens in the form of heavy reserves which, according to government regulations, must be built up. Hence a year like 1921, when the volume of new business written was generally down from the high water mark of 1920 as a natural result of altered economic conditions, has proved a year when companies have been able to strengthen further their position.

Such has been the case with the Continental Life Insurance Company, whose annual meeting was held January 25. As the president and general manager, Mr. George B. Woods, pointed out, 1921 had been in many respects the best year the company had had. Insurance in force increased over one million dollars to the sum of $18,616,461. Assets rose to a new high mark of $3,357,785. A further increase in reserves was effected, bringing these to $2,936,244.

The comparative figures since 1906 show the steady growth of the company from a very small beginning to the present position, which in all things making for strength—insurance in force, reserves, total assets, premium and other income—established a new mark for this company.

The ruins of Uxmal, Yucatan, have been described as the finest on the American continents.

ANNUAL MEETING OF V. O. N. WAS HELD

Victoria Order of Nurses Elect Officers—Splendid Reports Given Show Excellent Work of Order

Yesterday afternoon the annual meeting of the Victorian Order of Nurses took place, with Mrs. Goulding Wilson in the chair and sixteen members present. The election of officers for the ensuing year resulted as follows: President, Mrs. Ross Sutherland; first vice-president, Mrs. Rowley; second vice-president, Mrs. Phipps; third vice-president, Mrs. Goulding Wilson; treasurer, Mrs. G. D. Christie; secretary, Miss Oldfield. The committee includes the following members: Mrs. Jenkins, Mrs. Schofield, Mrs. Brett, Miss M. Lawson, Miss Kennedy, Mrs. Hardie, sr., Mrs. F. Hartley, Mrs. Gilbert Cook, Mrs. Harper, Mrs. H. Lawson, Mrs. W. Wilson, Mrs. A. G. Price, Mrs. Rhodes, Miss Belson, Mrs. Carey, Mrs. F. Wollaston, Mrs. Hay, Mrs. Fleet Robertson, Mrs. Harry Helsterman, Mrs. Lennox, Mrs. Gregory, Miss Lawson, Mrs. John Galt, and Mrs. Andrew Gray.

The nurses' report for the year 1921 showed that 706 cases had been nursed by the V.O.N.; 4,074 nursing visits had been paid; 268 pre-natal visits; 1,260 child welfare visits paid; 74 advisory or consultative; 62, number of collection; 4, number of observation; and 6 school inspection; 1,647 Metropolitan Life Insurance visits paid; 1,003 free visits made; 95 night visits; and 1,146 visits made to infants. The grand total of visits made numbered 5,831, and the amount collected in fees amounted to $1,890. Three nurses are on the V.O.N. staff and two on the emergency staff. The president, Mrs. Wilson, and the hon. treasurer, Mrs. Christie, gave excellent reports for the past year.

Dr. Price gave a short address at the meeting, in which he spoke of the work of the V.O.N. and the splendid help he had received from the order, especially in the child welfare and tubercular work. The Rev. Archbold also addressed the assembly.

The monthly meeting was held yesterday also, and passed a standing vote of sympathy to the relatives of the late Miss Maude Cridge, a very valued member of the order, a staunch supporter and a V.O.N. visitor.

Mothers' meetings will take place each week, different members of the board offering to assist with these gatherings. An invitation was received to attend an open meeting of the Social Service work on February 4, to hear Miss Gardner and Miss Cotter, of Seattle. Mrs. Christie and Mrs. Schofield were appointed as delegates to the Local Council of Women meetings during the coming year. Mrs. Price and Miss Oldfield will attend the annual meetings.

The nurses' report for the past month showed the great activity of the local branch of the order. The services of an extra nurse were required; 128 cases were attended to; 757 nursing visits paid; 39 pre-natal; 181 child welfare; 34 social service visits; the total visits amounting to 1,073. Thirteen tubercular patients, 7 pneumonia patients, and 10 confinements were attended by the order.

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"OPEN NIGHT" IS HELD BY KIWANIANS

Members and Ladies Dine Together at Dominion Hotel—Music and Merriment Features of Evening

Kiwanians and their wives and lady friends dined together at the Dominion Hotel last evening upon the occasion of a social function that replaced the usual weekly luncheon.

Music and merriment were features of the event, which was largely attended. The supper tables were decorated with candles and flowers, while the big "K" was in evidence throughout the grill room.

Kiwanian Tom Moryson had charge of the programme, acting as chairman for the evening. During the supper Kiwanians and Kiwaniqueens joined in singing well-known choruses.

On behalf of the club President J. W. Spencer welcomed the lady guests, and then called upon Kiwanian B. C. Nicholas for an address. A humorous dissertation upon the glorious achievements of famous bachelors in history, and the efforts which the bachelor Kiwanians had made for some time past to have a joint meeting of members and ladies, was delivered by that gentleman with his customary fluency.

A drawing took place among the ladies for an attendance prize, which was won by Mrs. Walter Maguire.

A singing contest among the ladies, followed by a similar event among the men, caused a great deal of merriment, the judges showing a partiality for the tables at which they were seated. Such tactics brought about deadlocks, which, in the case of the ladies' singing, was broken by President Spencer awarding the prize, while in the vocal competition among the members Mrs. Spencer had the casting vote.

Vocal selections were rendered by Miss Gladys Thorpe, Mr. F. Butterworth, and Mr. Bert Hough, Scotch comedian. Kiwanian Cecil Heaton's orchestra played throughout the evening.

PARIS, Jan. 31.—Reports which have been in circulation abroad of the engagement of Princess Yolanda of Italy and King Boris of Bulgaria were denied in Rome today, says a Havas dispatch this afternoon from the Italian capital.

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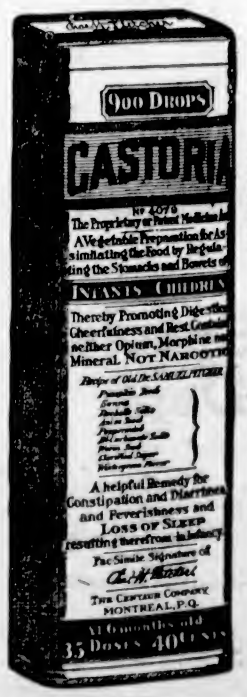

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Increase in Income	65,484.69	8.95%
Increase in Surplus	60,376.93	22.77%
Increase in Insurances	1,062,805.00	6.05%
Increase in Rate of Interest Earned		.53%
Decrease in Expenses	4,024.72	1.71%
Decrease in Expense Ratio		2.51%
Ratio of actual death claims to expected claims		39.58%

ASSETS on December 31st, 1921 $3,357,784.67
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SPECIAL NEWS

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SAANICH CANDIDATE ANNOUNCES PLATFORM

Mr. J. W. Fullbrook, in Running for Councillorship of Ward Seven, Outlines Policy

The following platform has been announced by Mr. J. W. Fullbrook, councillor candidate in Ward Seven, Saanich:

1. That there be a readjustment of assessments on land valuations to bear justly on all parties with taxing improvements.

2. That the Health Centre should be used to its full capacity and fitted up as soon as funds are available to take care of maternity cases or other cases of sickness.

3. That he believes in fair wages to all employees, and would go so far as to suggest that Reeve and Council serve the municipality for nothing as far as they were able, if found necessary.

4. That all wards and departments keep their expenditures within the appropriations made for same.

5. I would approve a new and satisfactory agreement with the city with the object of at once paying the city for the necessary cost insured in making sewers large enough for the convenience of Saanich, then when ready, Saanich would pass a by-law to connect up and carry the work to completion.

6. As the Gordon Head water by-law was passed, I would be in favor of pushing the work to completion as quickly as possible so as to give work to our residents at this time when it is so much needed.

7. That all money by-laws should be first submitted to the people before the people are committed, and that such by-laws should be voted on at municipal elections to save expense at municipal elections.

SPEAKS TO GYROS ON LAND REGISTRY

Mr. F. J. Stacpoole, Registrar-General, Addresses Club—Plans for Vancouver Excursion

The history of land registry methods and those in practice at the present time were outlined to the Gyro Club Monday by Mr. F. J. Stacpoole, K.C., registrar-general, in a clear and concise address. What might appear to be a dry subject was made interesting by Mr. Stacpoole.

The Gyro orchestra rendered several selections at the luncheon. A yell and parody for the Vancouver excursion on Friday night were practiced enthusiastically by the members. It was reported that 25 or 30 Gyros will go over to the Mainland.

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TRUSTEE LEAVES SAANICH BOARD

Mr. Y. Thorne Resigns—Seconds Resolution Accepting Resignation—Board Does Not Consider Estimates

Trustee Y. Thorne resigned from the Saanich School Board Monday for personal reasons, one of which was that private affairs would not permit him giving the time which he thought the position required. The resignation was laid before the Board at a meeting held yesterday afternoon at Royal Oak, and was accepted with regret. Owing to the fact that Chairman Holloway and Trustees Mrs. Humphries and Thorne were the only members of the Board present, Mr. Thorne found it necessary to second the resolution of acceptance which Mrs. Humphries moved. The retirement of Trustee Thorne leaves four vacancies to be filled on the Board at the coming elections.

In his letter of resignation Trustee Thorne made two suggestions. One was that better sanitary arrangements be provided at the Royal Oak School, and the other was that the Board make a grant toward the school sports held in the city in May of each year and in which Saanich children take part. Both these matters were laid over to be considered with the estimates.

Chairman Holloway expressed regret that Trustee Thorne had resigned.

Owing to the fact that there were only three members of the Board present no progress was made on the estimates, which must be completed by February 15. It was decided to hold a further meeting on nomination day, when it will be known whether the present members of the Board and Mr. Frank Hobbs, successful candidate in the recent polling, are returned by acclamation. The date is likely to be February 8.

The question of payment of substitute teachers was raised, it being pointed out that protest was being made against the paying of Saanich substitutes at $2.50 as against $3.50 in the city. The matter was left over. One teacher, Miss Elizabeth Russell, was appointed to serve until the end of the term. It was found that a number of the teachers had been sick with mumps. It came to light that the teacher who "jumped" to the city recently without giving the proper notice at the time specified by law, was one of those who had signed an individual contract to serve on the Saanich staff until next Summer.

CANADIAN SCOTTISH PLAN ANNUAL BALL

Grand Social Function Will Take Place in Armory on Wednesday, February 8—Ozard's Orchestra

Everything is in readiness for the first annual ball since the late war of the Canadian Scottish Regiment, which will be held next Wednesday evening, February 8, in the new Drill Hall under the patronage of Lieut.-Col. H. M. Urquhart, D.S.O., M.C., and officers of the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment.

Dancing will commence at 9 o'clock and the latest dance music will constitute the programme which Professor George Ozard's fifteen-piece orchestra will render. The excellent buffet supper which Tighe & Wheeler always supply on these occasions will assure that all wanted in this respect will be well cared for. The large armory will be suitably decorated with flags, greenery and bunting, while the dancing floor will be put in the best possible shape.

An energetic committee of the regiment, under the chairmanship of Major Richard Wallis, M.C., is completing all preparations for the dance, which will undoubtedly be one of the most enjoyable social events of the season. The proceeds of the dance will be used to create a recreation fund for the battalion.

Tickets for the ball are selling rapidly, and all members of the battalion are taking a keen interest in the affair in order that the standing which the original 16th Battalion, C.E.F., held during the late war may be maintained.

Persons wishing to secure dance tickets may do so at any of the following business houses in the city: Fyvie Bros., Government Street; Wilkerson's, Government Street; Hillside Pharmacy; Service Cigar Store, Douglas Street; Hawkins & Hayward, 1607 Douglas Street, and from members of the regiment's dance committee.

WILL CONFER WITH CITY AUTHORITIES

Esquimalt School Trustees to Talk Over Matters With Victoria Board at an Early Date

The Esquimalt School Board Monday night appointed Trustees Mrs. Hardie and Major Mulcahy to wait upon the Victoria School Board with a view to arriving at a satisfactory understanding regarding the exchange of pupils who attend the high schools in the city and Esquimalt.

A letter was read from the Victoria Board stating that the cost of Esquimalt pupils attending the city high school is $84 per year, the same as charged Saanich.

"What we need more than anything else is a new high school," said Trustee Mrs. Isbister, her colleagues all expressing the same opinion. The question of building either a four-roomed school or two two-roomed schools was discussed.

The salary of the auditor, Mr. J. S. Floyd, is $75, and Major Mulcahy suggested that the fee be lowered. "The sum of $75 for three hours' work seems to be rather an exorbitant charge," he said.

Mr. Leonard Tait, principal of Lampson Street School, presented a report on the school, pointing out that the institution is in excellent shape and every teacher is working hard and faithfully. A new beginners' class will be formed tomorrow, he said. A letter from Miss Morrison, the school nurse, and Mr. Tait, urging that a dental clinic be established was read. The matter was left over.

All members of the Board were present, with Trustee W. T. Phillips presiding. The Board will hold a special meeting next Monday night in The Lampson Street School, at 7:30 o'clock, when it will sit as a finance committee to consider the school estimates for the ensuing year.

CONVENTION HERE TO BREAK RECORDS

Good Roads Meeting Here in June Will Be Largest in Association's History, According to Western Reports

"The Province of Alberta is positively sold to the good roads proposition and to the Victoria convention," states Mr. S. L. Squire, chairman of the executive of the Canadian Good Roads Association, which will hold its annual convention here in June, in a letter to Mr. John L. Beckwith, president of the Canadian Highway Association here.

"Already the various organizations in Alberta are at work obtaining delegates to attend, and we had the assurance when visiting Calgary and Edmonton that each section of the Province would be responsible for at least fifty delegates, making one hundred of Alberta's good roads boosters who will be present at the Victoria convention,' wrote Mr. Squire.

"We were splendidly received by the Alberta Government, and not only did Mr. Greenfield assure us of the attendance of a number of the members of his Government at the convention, but also assured us of the financial support desired. It was stated by Mr. George Webster, one of the good roads men of Calgary, that our visit to the Province of Alberta had been instrumental in bringing the good roads question definitely before the Government and securing from them assurances which the local men had been working for for ten years, yet without success.

"We have this morning interviewed our president, Hon. S. J. Latta, Regina, Sask., and he is undertaking to create an interest among the various bodies which are interested in the improvement of highways in Saskatchewan, and he stated that there will probably be one hundred delegates from Saskatchewan.

"If we can continue to obtain the interest from the other provinces that have been shown by the three western provinces, you can rest assured that Victoria will be placed upon the map as a convention city, and that this convention will be the most important good roads meeting ever held in the Dominion of Canada."

KUMTUKS CLUB HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Yearly Reports Read Showed Great Progress Achieved by Newly-Formed Society

Twenty-three members of the Kumtuks Club attended the annual meeting, held Monday night in the Arts and Crafts Society's rooms, Union Bank Building. In the unavoidable absence of Miss Bowron, the president, Miss Jessie Brown, vice-president, presided.

It was announced that Mr. B. C. Nicholas would address the club at an early date, and that the meeting at which he would speak would be an open one and members would be permitted to bring their friends.

Three new members were admitted, Mrs. H. B. Baxter, Miss Marguerite Fahrni and Miss Anna Mason. The club went on record as being in sympathy with the Community Centre scheme.

The report of the president was read in which a resume was given of the progress of the club during the past year.

The election of officers then took place, Miss Bowron being re-elected president by acclamation; Mrs. H. P. Hordes, vice-president; Miss Mariatt, recording secretary; Miss A. V. Evans, corresponding secretary; Miss Russell, treasurer; and Miss Wigley, Miss Ringland and Miss Taylor, directors.

The report of the Finance Committee was presented by Miss McLaren.

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ST. COLUMBA CHURCH HAS ANNUAL MEETING

Encouraging Reports Received From Various Organizations Connected With Institution—Last Year Successful

The annual congregational meeting of the St. Columba Presbyterian Church was held on Monday evening in the church hall, under the chairmanship of the pastor, Rev. Thomas McConnell. A most interesting series of reports were read and adopted, revealing a most satisfactory condition of the affairs of the congregation.

The report of the session stated that 1921 was the most successful year in the church's history. To the church roll was added 124 new names, sixty by profession and sixty-six by certificates. One member of the session had his name removed from the session roll at his own request, as he was leaving the city. Four new members were added to the session, one by ordination and three by induction. It was reported that the Sunday School had more than doubled its membership during the year.

There was raised by the congregation for expenses the sum of $5,745 and for missions $522. The total revenue of the congregation amounted to $7,300. This included a complete liquidation of the floating indebtedness which contained one rather large item of $800.

The Sunday School report showed the membership to be over 200, with a large staff of earnest and loyal teachers.

The Ladies' Aid report, read by Mrs. G. Moore, showed that $1,400 had been raised during the year. The Women's Missionary Society raised over $500, with a large part of which they erected a fine wooden tennis court, which is practically paid for.

Fine reports were presented by the Canadian Girls in Training, the Granite Club, the Young Men's Bible Class and the choir.

On motion of Mr. William Henderson a very cordial vote of thanks was passed to the officers of the various organizations for the fine reports of the work accomplished, after which a very encouraging meeting was brought to a close by a social gathering, which was entertained to tea by members of the Ladies' Aid.

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URGES REVISION OF TARIFF ON FRUIT

Chamber of Commerce Committee Claims Present Protection Does Not Amply Protect B.C. Industry

Appointment by the Federal Government of a competent commission to investigate the tariff requirements of the British Columbia fruit industry, and any other industry similarly situated, was recommended to the directors of the Chamber of Commerce on Monday by a special committee headed by Mr. L. H. Hardie.

The committee's resolutions follow: "That the method of valuation based on cost of production is not practicable in its application, in that it undermines the former stability of all those who import merchandise of any kind, by reason of the uncertainty as to the actual cost of the goods to the importer until after completion of investigation of cost of production by the customs officials.

"That in most cases the actual exporter in foreign countries does not know what the cost of production is, nor as a rule is he concerned therewith; furthermore, that, generally speaking, it would be impossible to truthfully declare what the cost of production was.

"That, accordingly, the system of valuation based on cost of production should be immediately discontinued by the customs department.

"That as representations have been made to the Chamber of Commerce that the present rate of duty does not afford reasonable protection to the fruit growers of British Columbia we urge upon the Government of Canada the early appointment of a competent tariff commission to investigate the needs of this or any industry similarly effected.

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CLUB STANDINGS IN OLD COUNTRY SOCCER

English League

Division I.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Liverpool	25	13	3	11	38	29	37
Burnley	25	15	7	3	48	30	33
Bolton W.	24	13	7	4	42	32	32
Aston Villa	25	11	10	2	53	36	30
Manchester C.	25	12	8	5	43	40	29
Cardiff C.	24	11	9	5	28	28	29
Tottenham H.	25	11	9	5	38	34	27
Newcastle U.	24	10	8	7	32	28	27
Middlesboro	25	9	7	9	41	40	27
Huddersfield T.	24	11	10	3	33	24	25
Sunderland	24	12	11	3	43	41	27
Preston N. E.	25	10	10	5	32	41	25
West Bromwich	25	10	11	4	26	37	24
Sheffield U.	24	9	11	6	41	36	24
Everton	24	7	9	9	31	31	23
Oldham A.	25	8	10	7	22	32	23
Chelsea	26	7	11	8	19	33	22
Birmingham	25	9	13	3	30	38	21
Blackburn R.	27	6	12	9	35	40	21
Arsenal	25	7	13	5	23	33	19
Bradford C.	25	6	13	6	25	51	18
Manchester U.	27	5	15	7	29	51	17

Division II.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Notts Forest	25	13	4	8	29	18	34
West Ham U.	25	14	8	3	36	22	[illegible]
Fulham	25	13	7	5	40	27	31
Hull City	25	14	6	3	34	22	31
Stoke	25	11	5	9	31	23	31
Notts County	25	11	6	8	35	25	30
Leicester C.	25	9	5	11	32	18	29
Barnsley	25	13	4	8	33	21	29
Rotherham C.	26	10	9	7	21	27	27
Leeds U.	26	9	8	9	26	27	26
South Shields	25	9	9	7	24	22	25
Derby County	25	10	10	5	34	36	25
Wolverhampton.	25	10	10	5	29	40	25
Wednesday	21	7	7	10	27	28	24
Bury	25	9	11	5	35	31	23
Crystal Palace	25	8	10	7	27	30	23
Clapton O.	25	8	10	7	24	29	23
Bristol C.	25	6	12	6	23	40	18
Bradford C.	24	6	12	6	28	37	17
Blackpool	26	6	14	6	21	34	17
Coventry C.	21	6	14	4	25	31	16
Port Vale	24	5	15	4	28	44	14

Division III.—Northern

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Stockport C.	21	13	4	4	38	8	30
Darlington	21	14	4	3	34	18	31
Accrington	24	14	6	4	38	26	30
Grimsby Town	24	10	6	8	44	33	28
Crewe	24	12	9	3	34	36	27
Wrexham	22	11	6	4	36	26	26
Durham	22	11	9	2	28	28	24
Southport	23	8	8	6	28	25	21
Hartlepool	24	9	8	7	30	32	21
Stalybridge	23	10	9	4	36	34	21
Walsall	23	11	10	2	43	45	24
Wigan Boro	21	7	7	7	27	31	21
Ashington	21	9	11	1	28	43	19
Lincoln	21	6	11	4	25	31	16
Nelson	22	5	12	7	29	41	18
Tranmere	22	5	10	7	25	37	17
Chesterfield	23	7	12	3	28	41	17
Barrow	22	7	13	2	23	31	16
Halifax	23	4	13	6	32	52	15
Rochdale	22	5	15	2	30	47	12

Division III.—Southern

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Southampton	24	15	5	7	42	16	37
Bolton Town	25	11	6	8	43	18	30
Plymouth	24	15	5	6	36	18	36
Portsmouth	23	10	4	10	40	26	30
Queen's Park R.	23	10	4	10	35	29	30
Aberdare	21	11	8	5	36	32	27
Brentford	24	9	6	9	24	22	27
Swindon Town	21	9	5	7	37	34	25
Charlton A.	25	9	9	7	27	35	25
Bristol R.	21	10	10	1	37	38	21
Swansea T.	25	8	9	8	30	28	24
Millwall A.	26	8	9	13	22	23	21
Northampton	24	10	9	4	28	14	24
Merthyr Town	24	11	11	2	28	37	24
Brighton and H.	24	9	10	5	31	28	23
Watford	21	7	7	12	27	28	22
Newport C.	26	7	11	8	33	38	22
Reading	23	6	11	6	19	27	18
Southend	23	5	13	7	20	41	17
Exeter City	24	4	13	7	18	39	15
Norwich City	23	3	12	8	24	33	14
Gillingham	24	3	15	4	21	49	14

Scottish League

Division I.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Goals F.	Goals A.	P.
Celtic	29	17	3	9	57	16	43
Rangers	26	18	3	5	55	21	41
Partick Thistle	27	17	4	6	42	20	38
Raith Rovers	29	14	6	9	31	27	37
Dundee	29	13	8	8	39	25	34
Hibernians	29	12	7	10	36	26	31
Falkirk	29	10	7	12	37	29	32
St. Mirren	29	11	9	9	33	43	31
Ayr United	29	11	10	8	38	36	30
Motherwell	28	11	12	5	42	38	27
Aberdeen	29	11	13	5	41	37	27
Clyde	29	10	11	7	40	44	27
Albion Rovers	29	9	13	8	37	42	26
Hamilton A.	29	7	11	11	44	43	25
Third Lanark	28	8	11	9	40	46	25
Morton	29	10	14	5	37	46	25
Kilmarnock	29	9	13	7	41	60	25
Hearts	29	6	13	8	36	49	24
Airdrieonians	28	8	14	6	33	41	22
Dumbarton	27	6	14	7	32	54	19
Queen's Park	28	6	17	5	26	53	17
Clydebank	28	4	18	6	26	67	14

KENTUCKY DERBY TO HAVE BIGGER VALUE

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 31.—The forty-eighth annual renewal of the Kentucky Derby, the racing classic of Western tracks for three-year-olds, will be run at Churchill Downs, May 13, it was announced today. The race will carry $50,000 added money, but changed rules will increase the winner's purse. The starting fee will be increased from $250 to $500.

"Biscuits" Wins

BOSTON, Jan. 31. — Stanislaus Zbyszko, world's wrestling champion, defeated Dick Daviscourt, of Texas, in a finish match last night, winning two straight falls.

ONE POINT MORE GIVES WEILERS CUP

Victory or Draw With Garrison Today Is All Wednesday League Leaders Need — Spencers Play Clerks

The game to be played today at Beacon Hill between the Garrison and Weilers Wednesday League soccer teams will very possibly decide whether Weilers win the Pendray Cup as champions of the league. They need only one point to win the championship, so that either a win or a draw today will give them the honors. On paper their chances are excellent, unless they fall down through over anxiety to make sure of the silverware, but the Garrison are not going to let them get away with the game without a fight. The Garrison captain and centre half, "Taffy" Davies, while not underrating the enemy, declared yesterday that the Tommies intend to put up the fight of their lives in today's game. Should the Garrison be successful the race will be on, with Weilers, Garrison and the Retail Clerks in the running.

The other game on today's programme is between Spencers and the Retail Clerks, and will be played at the Royal Athletic Park. This will, no doubt, be a very close fought contest, and it would be hard to predict a winner before the event.

For the game at Beacon Hill, Payne will referee; for that at the Royal Athletic Park Faulkner will officiate. The line-ups will be as follows:

Garrison—J. Waggett, Cameron and W. Waggett; Grice, Davies and Bailey; Sharcott, Dagleish, Kennedy, Hussicton and Henry.

Weilers—Baker, J. Hall and Newman; B. Hall, Sweeton and A. Hilton; Livingstone, D. Stewart, Hay, Muir, Mellmoyl, J. Stewart, C. Hilton and W. Mason.

Spencers—Shrimpton; Lynn and Turner; Shannon, Robins and Jaynes; Caskie, Talbot, Alcock, Robinson and Bywater; reserves, Gibson and Wetherall.

Retail Clerks—R. Peden; Hunter and Clark; Holyoake, Thompson and Kirchen; J. Clark, Patterson, Fletcher, Greenwell and Allen; reserve, Laird.

BRITISHERS SEND FORMAL CHALLENGE FOR DAVIS CUP

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Announcement that the British Isles had challenged for the Davis Cup adds a second nation to the world's team tennis championship in 1922. Australia has already sent a formal challenge. From eight to ten additional challenges are expected before the entries close on March 15.

Until a year ago, the tennis associations of the Antipodes challenged under one head and the team was designated as the Australians. This agreement was terminated some time ago, and it was then decided that New Zealand and Australia would act separately in entering for the Davis Cup and other international competition.

SASKATCHEWAN DERBY TO BE RUN NEXT MONTH

SASKATOON, Jan. 30.—Racing dogs and crack drivers from all parts of Northern Saskatchewan will compete in a 200-mile Derby at Big River, Sask., starting March 7. Entries will be limited to dogs that have been in this province for six weeks prior to the event, and the Derby will be in the nature of a Saskatchewan championship. The course, up Crooked Lake to Green Lake, back to Big River, thence to Camp Four and return, is said to be a better test of canine stamina than the famous course at The Pas, Man.

NANAIMO BASKETBALL

NANAIMO, Jan. 31.—Three basketball games of the City schedule were played last night at the Athletic Club, the games being witnessed by a good crowd, and in many instances fast ball was played. The High School juniors defeated the Foresters juniors by 25 to 5, the Pirates defeated the Cougars 47 to 5; and Spencers beat the Halliburtons 12 to 9.

BALKLINE BILLIARDS

Champion Withdraws From Tournament as Protest Against "Unethical" Behavior

NEW YORK, Jan. 31. — Charles Heddon, of Dowagiac, Mich., present champion, withdrew from the national amateur Class A 18.2 balkline championship tournament at the Crescent Athletic Club, Brooklyn, today. His reason was given as due to acts on the part of Edward Gardner, former holder of the title, in the match last night, in which Heddon was defeated, 193 to 300.

He is said to regard the action of Gardner in not remaining in his chair quietly while his opponent was at the table as highly unethical. Heddon left today for Detroit. Referee Ryan declared Gardner requested permission to leave the enclosure last night.

Emil A. Reuner, Youngstown, Ohio, defeated T. Henry Clarkson, New York, 300 points to 191, in the fourth game of the tournament.

A WIN TONIGHT WILL PUT THEM IN LEAD

Aristocrats Leave for Seattle Determined to Regain Their Lost Advantage in Hockey Race by Defeating Mets.

Once more an uphill road faces the Victoria Aristocrats as they trudge on towards the play-off of the Pacific Coast Hockey Association. But this time it is only a small incline, a short stretch which can be covered by eleven o'clock tonight after a little reunion with the Seattle Mets up the Sound. And as the local team is anxious to mount the ladder again, it will fight its hardest to overcome the Seattle hockey team before the evening is over, just as it has done many times in the last two seasons.

The Aristocrats have just got to make the nets sing once more than the Mets tonight to take the leadership again. As a result of their victory over the Mets on Monday, Lloyd Cook's Millionaires are a point, or half a game, ahead of the blue and gold boys. If the Aristocrats can hang up a win tonight, though, they will be a point ahead of the Mainlanders, and Seattle will be still further down the road. Then another victory for Victoria here Friday would put Eddie Dattman and his companions nicely out in front and all set for a place in the play-off.

Chances Are Good

If one could base any calculation whatever on past performances, Victoria should have a tip-top chance of shooting back into first place tonight. So far Seattle has been easy pickings for the Aristocrats on Seattle ice, although the Muldoonites have showed up well over here. Tonight the Mets will be fighting backs to the wall, however, for they had counted on a victory on Monday to put them up towards the top.

Pete Muldoon was delighted with the two wins turned in by his team last week, and defeat in Vancouver was a nasty blow to the Seattle manager. Tonight he will turn loose every ounce of energy and strategy he can find, for he realizes that he has got to win a lot of games if he is to wave the pennant this year. Still the race today is a close one—one of the closest in the league's history. The three teams are tied up in double knots now, and, what is more, there is almost nothing to choose between them on the ice. For a couple of weeks the Mets seemed to sag, but, just as people were beginning to count them out, they up and smote the enemy twice in a row.

Same Line-Up

"The same line-up as we used here last Friday will go into the fray Wednesday night, but beyond that I haven't anything to say," Manager Lester Patrick remarked just before he boarded the boat here yesterday. "No, I will make no predictions. It seems as if we usually pull a blank just about the time one feels like prophesying a win. The boys are wild-eyed, though, to show the fans that they can win the championship and that last Friday was just one of the 'off' nights every team experiences once or twice a year."

GLASGOW, Jan. 31.—Robert Stewart, Glasgow, checker expert, and Newell Banks, of Detroit, Mich., who are playing for the world checker championship, played four drawn games today.

CUP TIE ENTRIES WILL CLOSE TODAY

First Round Will Probably Be Played on Saturday — Referees and V.D.F.A. Are Still at "Outs"

Entries for the Jackson Cup soccer series will positively close tonight. Last night at the meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association five entries had been received, namely, the Wests, Metropolis' two teams, Garrison and Sons of Canada, and it is expected that several more will come to hand by tonight, when the draw for the first round will be made and it will probably be definitely decided that the first games be played on Saturday of this week. In this event the Combination League games scheduled for this date will be postponed, but in the event of the meeting deciding not to play the first round of the Jackson Cup on Saturday the Combination games will be played as scheduled.

In spite of several meetings held at the beginning of this week the situation with regard to the local referees' association remains as before. On Sunday a meeting was held by the local referees at which delegates were present from the Vancouver referees' association and also a delegate from the V. D. F. A., and a resolution was drafted to be put before a meeting of the local referees to the effect that they should offer their services to the V. D. F. A. unconditionally. A meeting of the local referees' association was held on Monday, and this resolution was put and rejected.

At the meeting of the Wednesday League on Monday it was decided that, owing to the short notice given, the Wednesday League would not be able to enter a team for the Jackson Cup.

S.S. BASKETBALL

Playing the best game they have played this season, the Christ Church senior girls proved much superior to the Fairfields in their Sunday School basketball game last night, and won by 33 to 6. Florrie Gates was in splendid form and scored 27 points. Winona Ross played a good game for the losers, and scored five points. The teams were:

Christ Church— K. Wellburn, P. Bates, F. Gates, G. Wellburn and M. Locke.

Fairfields—W. Ross, D. Garniston, T. Owen, I. Whitney and V. Moggey.

In the junior girls' game the Wideawakes won from the Harmony five by 13 to 4. In the boys' intermediate A division game St. Paul's played a good game against the Boys and won by 22 to 8. MacLean and Paterson did some fine shooting.

Following are the results of the boys' intermediate B games played in the Congregational gymnasium: K. of C., 21, St. Andrews 9; Belmonts 16, James Bays 14; Metropolitans 3, Reformed Episcopals 2.

Tonight in the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium the Belmont Senior A team will meet the fast Christ Church five. Belmonts must win tonight to remain on top of the senior league standing. Christ Church are anxious to secure a win and are playing a speedy game at present, so the meeting of these two teams should be exciting.

In the Senior B league Tillicums will meet the Metropolitans, while the James Bays will play the K. of C.

ARCADES BEAT ELKS

At the City Bowling Alley last night the Arcades defeated the Elks by 82 pins. The full scores were as follows:

Elks				
D. Kennedy	153	204	182	539
F. Handley	148	180	179	507
R. Fuggle	176	166	151	495
G. Bayley	169	158	159	486
R. Genge	158	168	166	492
	804	878	837	2519

Arcades				
F. Parker	190	187	174	551
F. Vinall	198	203	155	556
I. Malcolm	129	151	176	456
A. C. Falk	160	167	210	537
R. Wille	175	161	165	501
	852	869	880	2601

TWO JACKS BILLIARDS

In the Two Jacks billiards handicap tournament last night, Hume (receives 75) beat Lea (receives 80) by 40 points.

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BADMINTON CHAMPIONSHIP

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—On Friday and Saturday, February 10 and 11, the badminton tournament will be played deciding the British Columbia championship for the season 1921-1922, and already a long list of entries is assured.

Play will begin as early as possible on Friday morning, and be continued until the finals. Entries close on Saturday, February 4, and should be in the hands of the secretary, H. R. Partington, 924 Hastings Street, by 6 p.m. on that date.

SAANICHTON WINS FROM METROPOLITANS

The basketball game which took place in the Agricultural Hall Saturday evening between the Metropolitan B team and the Saanich Athletic Association players was one of the best of the season. At half-time the score stood at 13-20 in favor of Saanichton, and when the final score was announced the local team had 36 points to its credit, while the visitors had 25. S. Hole acted as referee.

At the conclusion of the game refreshments were served to the players by the lady members of the association, and this kindness was greatly appreciated. Dancing was then indulged in, the music being supplied by a city orchestra.

SUPERIOR, Wis., Jan. 31.—A spectacular fire at the Great Northern ore dock No. 2, at Allouez, a suburb, which for a time threatened other ore docks, was brought under control early today through the combined efforts of Superior firemen and a crew from Duluth. The loss may reach $2,000,000.

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High School B Team Wins From the K. of C.

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OPPOSED TO TAX ON IMPROVEMENTS

Mayor Marchant Repeats Condemnation of Suggested Revenue-Producer — "Suicidal," Alderman Calls It

Mayor William Marchant made a statement last night in which he reiterated his previously asserted opposition to the suggestion that a tax be levied on improvements.

"I am absolutely opposed to such a proposal," declared the Mayor. "I don't believe in it, and would agree to its adoption only as a last resort. I still feel confident that there will be no necessity to increase taxes on land, and I do not see any reason in the argument that improvements should be penalized. We will make a strong effort to hasten tax collections, and we have a number of proposals under consideration for increasing revenue from trades licences, garbage collection, and so on. There is no cause for landowners to worry at present."

Although a few of the aldermen have indicated that they believe a tax on improvements would be justified by present financial conditions, and Alderman Joseph Patrick has come out as strongly in favor of such a measure, the Council possesses in its personnel several who will fight improvement taxes. In this category belongs Alderman E. S. Woodward, chairman of the Finance Committee, who yesterday declared that such a tax was "suicidal and absurd."

"The city's policy of not taxing improvements has been responsible for the erection of what buildings we have," said Alderman Woodward. "If we turn around now and tax buildings, we will not only place a penalty on the people who have faith in the community and are prepared to invest in buildings, but we will break faith with those who have built in the past."

The Victoria Realty Board, it was reported yesterday, will oppose any attempt to introduce taxation of improvements in Victoria. When it was reported some months ago that Premier John Oliver was proposing legislation that would compel such a levy, several real estate men made a loud protest and threatened to fight the proposal in every legitimate way. Premier Oliver eventually issued a statement in which he denied any intention to enforce such a tax.

The Chamber of Commerce retailers committee has drawn up a list of suggested amendments to the trades licence regulations, proposing various ways in which the city may increase its revenue from that source and at the same time abolish certain inequalities at present in the ordinance.

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Those nasty little pimples that break out on the face and other parts of the body are simply indications that the blood is out of order and requires purifying.

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TONIGHT'S HOCKEY

At the Arena tonight the games in the Commercial Hockey League will be between the Gyros and Hudson's Bay, and the Newspapers and Weilers, in the order named. Line-ups announced last night were as follows: Weilers — Watson, Wynn, Straith, Ackroyd, Drinnan, Moody, Young, Rennie, McCannell. Newspapers—Geiger, Woodhouse, Jackson, Goodacre, Pinchback, Mowat.

A basketball game will be played at the First Presbyterian gymnasium tonight between the First Presbyterian boys and the Christ Church choir team, at 8:15. The Christ Church line-up follows: Forwards, B. Atkins and F. Fairey; centre, E. Fairey, guards, W. Wilson and L. Coates. Reserves, G. Edwardson, F. Hughes and G. D'Arcy.

BREEDERS ARE NOW DULY INCORPORATED

New Thoroughbred Association Elects Strong Board of Officers—Many Entries Assured for Coming Gymkhana

The Vancouver Island Thoroughbred Horse Breeders' Association met last night for the first time since becoming an incorporated company, and the chief business transacted was the election of the following officers: Honorary president, Hon. Dr. S. F. Tolmie; honorary first vice-president, W. J. Taylor, K.C.; honorary second vice-president, W. G. Mitchell; patrons, Hon. John Oliver, Premier; Hon. J. Hart, Hon. J. W. deB. Farris, Hon. E. D. Barrow, Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Hon. W. J. Bowser and His Worship Mayor Marchant; president, W. H. Cochrane; first vice-president, A. Rennie; second vice-president, J. Dakers; treasurer, Mrs. J. A. McKenzie; secretary, T. A. Cresswell; executive committee, G. Sangster, Dr. Robertson, A. Wood, F. Lewis, G. Carley, A. Brown, J. Curtis and W. J. Peterson. The registered office of the association is 305 Union Bank Building.

Following the business of election of officers the secretary reported that he is assured of a big entry list for the gymkhana which is to be held by the association on May 24. He also announced that a cup and medal had been presented by Mayor Marchant and Hon. Dr. King for competition.

That there will be no lack of entries for the Canadian and open handicaps, and that competition will be keen, is shown by the fact that Secretary Cresswell states that the following horses will be running in these events: Killarney Belle, Louvain, Royal Irish, Tommy W., Golden Flight, Anno S., Tusan, Brocklin, Prairie Rose, Bunker Bean, Mineral Jim, Gift, George Pearson, Beguiler, Victoria's Pride, Arctic Rose, Honest John, Mayflower, Greybeard, Prince Direct, Ruth Harrigan, Chattancourt, Ben Levy, Bars and Stars, Klaskina, Watery Winkles, Black Spray, and numerous other horses the property of British Columbian owners.

What promises to cause the most excitement will be the Gentlemen and Officers' race, as keen rivalry exists between the ex-officers and those at present serving, and they have set out for early training, so that their mounts will be good and fit by the date set for the association's first meet.

SKATERS' WRANGLING DELAYS THE CONTESTS AT SARANAC LAKE

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Jan. 31.—Only one of the two senior events on the card for the opening of the international outdoor skating championships was finished today, and even the result of that—the 220 yard dash—was in dispute. After the contest the claim was made that Charles Jewtraw, of Lake Placid, who finished first, had a foot and a half ahead at the signal gun at the start. The dispute will be settled later by the judges. Wrangling among the skaters and their over eagerness at the starting line so delayed the day's programme that it was impossible to hold the three-quarter mile final and this will be run off tomorrow afternoon.

BRUCE IS CHAMPION AT SASKATOON 'SPIEL

SASKATOON, Jan. 30.—H. A. Bruce tonight won the Grand Challenge of the Saskatoon bonspiel, defeating R. B. McLeod in the final by one point in a sensational match which went 13 ends.

The final of the Cairns trophy was also decided tonight, McGillivray, of Regina, defeating McKay, of Strasbourg.

HOCKEY BULLETINS FROM ALL THE RINKS

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31.—Winnipeg their first game of the season, Falcons caused a tie in the race for the Manitoba Senior Hockey League title between Brandon and Selkirk, by defeating the former 8 to 6 here, after ten minutes of overtime play.

EDMONTON, Jan. 31.—Regina Capitals went into the leadership of the Western Canada Hockey League by defeating the Eskimos 5 to 4 in a fast game here. Lack of goalkeeping for the home club was largely responsible for the result, for on territorial play the Eskimos had a tremendous margin over their opponents.

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—Hamilton Tigers took the measure of the Toronto Argonauts in their Ontario Hockey Association senior game by a score of 4 to 3.

SASKATOON, Jan. 31.—University of Saskatchewan practically assured themselves of the championship of the Saskatoon-Prince Albert Hockey League when they defeated the Nationals of Saskatoon 3 to 1.

REGINA, Jan. 31.—Before a small crowd, Indian Head lost a senior amateur league fixture here to Regina Victorias, 9 to 0.

Senior N. O. H. A. Results

Wingham 4, Lucknow 4.
Palmerston 8, Harriston 3.

Junior

Owen Sound 7, Wiarton 7.

FRENCH FENCER WINS FOILS CHAMPIONSHIP

PARIS, Jan. 31.—M. Gaudin, French champion, last night defeated Nedo Nadi, Italian champion, for what was regarded as the unofficial amateur foils championship of the world. Gaudin scored 20 points against 11 for Nadi. The match was for a purse of 50,000 francs. Gaudin has contributed the purse to charity and will remain an amateur. Nadi, however, has turned professional and purposes to go to Buenos Ayres.

ROME, Jan. 31.—The defeat last night in Paris of Nadi, the Italian champion fencer, by Lucien Gaudin, French expert, was received in Rome with consternation. The French and Italians make sporting matters national affairs, and consider that the honor of their respective countries are at stake whenever representatives meet foreigners in any branch of competition.

Vernon Buys Dressen

ST. PAUL, Jan. 31.—Leo Dressen, for six years first baseman of the St. Paul club of the American Association, has been sold outright to the Vernon club of the Pacific Coast League, the local club announced today. The price was not stated.

CITY NEWS IN BRIEF

Oak Bay Friendly Help—The Oak Bay Friendly Help Society will meet this afternoon in the Municipal Hall, Oak Bay, at 3 o'clock.

Monthly Bank Clearings—The total clearings for the month ending January 31, 1922, were $8,906,373; in 1921 they were $10,687,108; 1920, $11,609,302; and in 1919, $9,004,892.

Provincial Appointments—The Provincial Government has appointed Mr. J. McClymont to be police magistrate for the town of Prince Rupert. Mr. J. H. Carey, of Cumberland, is named a notary public.

Saanich Fires—A chimney fire at a dwelling on Colquitz Road, Gorge district, on Monday evening, and a grass fire on Douglas Street yesterday morning, gave the Saanich brigade two runs.

Guild of Health—Rev. T. E. Rowe will lecture on Divine healing in the Cathedral schoolroom this evening at 8 o'clock. Mr. Rowe will be in the schoolroom for consultation this morning from 10:30 to 12 o'clock.

Tolmie P.-T.—The monthly meeting of the Tolmie Parent-Teachers' Association will be held on Thursday, February 9. After the general business a 500 and whist drive to follow. Time, 8 o'clock. A good attendance is requested.

Ministers Secretary—Owing to the continued illness of Mr. Robert Hartley, private secretary to Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, Mr. W. A. McAdam, former publicity commissioner for this city, has been appointed secretary pro tem.

Trades and Labor Council—The annual meeting of the Trades and Labor Council will be held tonight at the Trades Hall. The election of officers and proposed renewal of affiliation with the Chamber of Commerce are the principal matters of business to be considered.

Store Entered—Little loot was secured by a burglar who entered the store premises of Messrs. Lomas Bros., corner of Blanshard and Johnson Streets some time during Monday night. Entrance was gained through a rear door. A shoe repairing knife and an apple were taken.

L.A. to A. & N. Veterans—All members of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans' Association are requested to meet at the B.C. Funeral Chapel at 1:45 o'clock tomorrow afternoon for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late ex-Deputy Chief of Police Palmer.

Esquimalt Unemployed to Meet—A mass meeting of the unemployed in Esquimalt will be held on Friday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, in Nelson Hall, better known as Cook's Hall, 537 Nelson Street. All unemployed residents of Esquimalt are requested to be present.

Royal Oak W. I.—The monthly meeting of the Royal Oak Women's Institute will be held in the Institute rooms at 2 o'clock on Friday afternoon, February 3, instead of on February 10, as the organization is planning a whist drive and dance for the latter date. Full particulars of this will be announced later.

People of the United States pay a quarter of a cent apiece yearly to support the president.

HIGH SCHOOL "B" TEAM WINS FROM K. OF C.

Score in Junior League Hockey Match Was Four to Two—Was First Victory for Winning Team

The High School B team came through with their first victory in the Junior Hockey League when they defeated the K. of C. team last night by 4 to 2. The game was very fast throughout. The High School team got away with a two-goal lead in the first period, when Dan McLean slipped two long ones past Fagan, the Knights' goalie. In the second period the Knights came back for revenge and managed to slam two by Champion, which brought the score to a tie.

The third period remained very slow until within about five minutes of the end, when the High School drew uproarious applause by a goal from a shot which Fagan could not see. Immediately after this Green secured the puck in centre ice, and, making a pretty individual rush, ended with a swift shot which brought the score to 4 to 2. The K. of C. fought hard for the last two minutes, Hall and Reed making a few dangerous rushes. The latter secured the only two counts for his team.

The B team is jubilent after its victory and is determined to try and do it again when meeting the High School A team naxt Tuesday. The High School goals were scored by McLean (2), Brinton and Green, Reed getting both for the Knights.

The Line-up

High School B	Position	K. of C.
Champion	Goal	Fagan
Allen	R. Defence	Givens
Lock	L. Defence	Sutton
McLean	Centre	Hall
Brinton	R. Wing	Simpson
Green	L. Wing	Reed
	Utility	Delahunty

Reed was penalized for 3 minutes. Referee, "Rip" McDonald.

WILL SEEK EARLY TAX PAYMENTS

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lector, who would issue a proper tax receipt.

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UNEMPLOYMENT PROBLEM

Premier Meets Delegation This Morning—Saanich Women Say Harsh Things of Government

At the request of the Victoria District Unemployment Council, Premier Oliver will meet a delegation of the council this morning at 10 o'clock, when the question of unemployment will be discussed and an appeal to the Government to take more active steps in dealing with the problem will be made by the unemployed.

Yesterday a number of women from Saanich waited upon the Premier and urged that the Government should inaugurate work for the unemployed, asserting that the out-of-works did not want charity and that the Government had an obligation in respect of the unemployed which, so far, it has not met.

Premier Oliver informed the delegation that the matter was one in the hands of the municipality, and he outlined the arrangement reached between the governments and the municipalities in that respect, also adding that at present the Government has no work to give.

The discussion became heated at times and the women were not backward in declaring the Premier and his Government had failed lamentably in meeting a critical situation.

WARD III CONSERVATIVES

At Meeting Thursday Night Organization Will Be Dealt With and Officers Named

Conservatives of Ward Three will meet tomorrow night at the Conservative clubrooms, Campbell Block, to perfect ward organization and inaugurate a complete canvass of the ward to the end that Conservatives not on the voters' list may be registered. With this meeting organization work in each of the five city wards will be inaugurated. A large attendance of Ward Three members of the party is looked for. Officers will be elected, a ward executive committee named, and the six representatives on the central executive committee will be selected.

Under the new constitution of the Conservative Association here each ward will hereafter name fifty delegates to represent it at all nominating conventions to select candidates. With no present contest in sight none of the wards have so far named delegates with the exception of Ward One, which at its meeting on Monday night named the following: W. N. Mitchell, F. J. Sinnott, H. E. Monteith, Mrs. Hazel Fowler, Mrs. C. Espley, Mrs. Otto, J. A. Price, Mrs. B. Price, Mrs. A. Monteith, A. Brachat, C. Noble, Mrs. Temple, J. Otto, Henry Noble, James Kennedy, William Fairall, W. J. Mable, J. T. Redding, Wesley Brethour, Harry Stanley, J. Wilks, William Tolmie, Chris Hollyer, John Pendray, H. Skipworth, J. W. Walker, E. Stewart, J. L. Leigh, William Muir, John Dean, W. K. Reynolds, Harry Dalziel, Lester Jones, Harry Nicholl, Geo. Gardner, Frank J. O'Reilly, Colonel Ridgeway Wilson, Murdoch McIvor, Harry Campbell and H. R. Popham, together with the ward officers and ward executive committee.

Barrie Centenarian Dies

BARRIE, Ont., Jan. 31.—Barrie's oldest citizen is dead in the person of Joseph W. Cook, in his 101st year. When he reached the century mark on November 23 last, he was remarkably mentally active. Mrs. J. McCreight, of Vendora, Sask., is a daughter.

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ASSURANCE—in Force	$29,118,808.00	$3,563,828.00
New and Revived	7,439,491.00	
Average New Policy	2,590.00	184.00
TOTAL INCOME	$ 902,441.35	$ 86,989.04
ASSETS	2,411,128.96	591,674.99
RESERVE RE POLICIES	2,196,581.61	505,355.92
MORTALITY CLAIMS	68,675.41	28% Of Expected
SURPLUS	177,614.14	92,514.18

(Including Paid-up Capital, $100,743.38

INTEREST RATE, Average, 7.77%. Previous Year, 7.60%.

Average Interest Experience of Life Companies: Canadian, 8.97%; American, 4.92%; British, 4.22%.

COMPARATIVE GROWTH

Year	Assurance in Force
1910—4th	$3,000,746
1912—6th	$5,509,348
1914—8th	$7,427,697
1916—10th	$9,007,464
1918—12th	15,171,309
1920—14th	25,564,980
1921—15th	29,118,808

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Their Medicine Chest For 20 Years

It is characteristic of folks after they pass the allotted "three score years and ten," to look back over the days that are gone and thoughtfully live them over.

I find myself, at seventy-one, frequently drifting back a quarter of a century, when I see myself in the little drug store I owned at Bolivar, Mo., making and selling a vegetable compound to my friends and customers—what was then known only as Dr. Lewis' Medicine for Stomach, Liver and Bowel Complaints.

For many years while I was perfecting my formula I studied and investigated the laxatives and cathartics on the market and became convinced that their main fault was not that they did not act on the bowels, but that their action was too violent and drastic, and upset the system of the user; which was due to the fact that they were not thorough enough in their action, some simply acting on the upper or small intestines, while others would act only on the lower or large intestines, and that they almost invariably produced a habit requiring augmented doses.

I believed that a preparation to produce the best effect must first tone the liver, then act on the stomach and entire alimentary system. If this was accomplished, the medicine would produce a mild, but thorough elimination of the waste without the usual sickening sensations, and make the user feel better at once.

After experimenting with hundreds of different compounds, I at last perfected the formula that is now known as Nature's Remedy, which I truly believe goes further and does more than any laxative on the market today. The thousands of letters from users have convinced me I was right, and that the user of Nature's Remedy as a family medicine, even though he may have used it for twenty-five years, never has to increase the dose.

My knowledge of medicine and the results of its use in my own family and among my friends, before I ever offered it for sale, caused me to have great faith in Nature's Remedy from the very first.

And now as I find myself nearing the age when I must bow to the inevitable and go to another life, my greatest pleasure is to sit each day and read the letters that each mail brings from people as old or older than I, who tell of having used Nature's Remedy for ten, fifteen and twenty years, and how they and their children and grandchildren have been benefitted by it.

It is a consoling thought, my friends, for a man at my age to feel that aside from his own success, one has done something for his fellow man. My greatest satisfaction, my greatest happiness today, is the knowledge that tonight more than one million people will take a Nature's Remedy (NR Tablet) and will be better, healthier, happier people for it. I hope you will be one of them.

A. H. Lewis Pres.

A. H. LEWIS MEDICINE CO., ST. LOUIS MO. SMITHS FALLS, ONT. CAN.

NR TO-NIGHT—Tomorrow Alright Get a 25¢ Box

SILVER STATE TO TIE UP AT OGDEN POINT

Admiral Liners Will Not, However, Use Government Docks Regularly—Tidal Conditions Unfavorable on Saturday

Owing to tide conditions and her heavy draft, the Admiral Line steamship Silver State, arriving here next Saturday afternoon from Seattle outbound to the Orient, will berth at the Government piers at Ogden Point. Arrangements to that end were completed yesterday between Rithet Consolidated, Limited, agents for the Admiral Line, and the Canadian National Railways, who are in control of the Ogden Point piers.

Ships of the Admiral Line will in future, however, be berthing at the Rithet wharves as usual. The change in berthing arrangements in this instance, it was stated by Rithet Consolidated last night, has been made owing to exceptional conditions. Low water happens to be at 4 p.m. on Saturday, which is the exact hour of arrival of the Silver State from Seattle. Moreover, she will be heavily laden, drawing 32 feet of water, which would make berthing at the Rithet piers difficult at that stage of the tide, especially as, since Pier No. 2 was damaged by the Pine Tree State, it has been necessary for ships to come further in in order to tie up.

The same combination of circumstances may send vessels of the Admiral Line to Ogden Point again, but it is unlikely to occur very often. The inward liners are coming in with half cargoes, and can always be accommodated at the Rithet docks whatever the tidal conditions.

SHIPPING INFORMATION

Wireless Report

(By Government Wireless).

January 31, 8 A.M. Report

Estevan—Cloudy, calm, 29.82; 18; sea smooth. Spoke steamer E. D. Kingsley, Sidney, B.C., for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 445 miles north of San Francisco; spoke steamer Horace X. Baxter, 6:20 p.m., San Pedro for Eagle Harbor, 8 p.m., 530 miles from Eagle Harbor; spoke steamer Curacao, 6:35 p.m., San Francisco for Seattle, 8 p.m., 490 miles north of San Francisco; spoke Hahkeens, 6:35 p.m., San Francisco for Everett, 8 p.m., 240 miles from Everett; spoke steamer Captain A. F. Lucas, bound for Richmond, 8 p.m., 640 miles from Richmond; spoke M.S. Charlie Watson, 7:30 p.m., Port Wells for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 390 miles from San Francisco; spoke steamer Canadian Inventor, 8:20 p.m., bound for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 620 miles from San Francisco; spoke steamer Bessie Dollar, 8:25 p.m., Vancouver for Orient, 8 p.m., 100 miles from Cape Flattery; spoke steamer Canadian Farmer, 8:30 p.m., Ocean Falls for San Pedro, 8 p.m., 220 miles from Cape Scott; spoke steamer Montague, 8:30 p.m., Portland for Moji, 8 p.m., 747 miles from Columbia River; spoke steamer Holland Maru, 11:05 p.m., Portland for Kobe, left Portland 2:40 p.m.; spoke steamer Chiefuku Maru, 11:10 p.m., position at 8 p.m., lat. 25.45 N., long. 131.00 W.; spoke steamer Singapore Maru, 11:15 p.m., position at 8 p.m., lat. 28.52 N., long. 151.28 W.; spoke steamer Selma City, 11:55 p.m., Yokohama for Port Townsend, 8 p.m., 1,560 miles from Cape Flattery; spoke steamer Edna Maru, 12:50 p.m., position at 8 p.m., lat. 49.50 N., long. 130.30 W., outbound; spoke steamer Maui, 1:15 a.m., Honolulu for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 1,769 miles from Honolulu; spoke steamer Matsonia, 1:30 a.m., Honolulu for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 1,900 miles from San Francisco; spoke steamer Makura, 2:15 a.m., due Victoria morning of February 5; spoke steamer West Mahwah, Honolulu for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 1,280 miles from San Francisco; spoke steamer Enterprise, 3 a.m., Hilo, for San Francisco, 8 p.m., 1,214 miles from San Francisco, spoke steamer Hyades, 3 a.m., San Pedro for Honolulu, 8 p.m., 1,699 miles from San Pedro; spoke steamer Hanna Nielsen, 6:50 a.m., Portland for Yokohama, 8 p.m., 1,500 miles from Columbia River.

Jan. 31, 6 P.M.

Point Grey—Cloudy; calm; 30.14; 26; smooth.

Cape Lazo — Cloudy; northeast, light; 30.07; 28; smooth. 4:20 p.m., spoke Steel Mariner, left Anacortes 3:10 p.m. for Bellingham.

Estevan—Clear; calm; 29.95; 29; smooth.

Alert Bay—Cloudy; calm; 30.12; 34; smooth.

Bull Harbor—Cloudy; calm; 30.03; 31; smooth.

Dead Tree—Clear; calm; 30.13; 27; smooth.

Prince Rupert—Overcast; calm; 30.00; 30; smooth.

Ocean Falls—Clear; calm; 29.91; 30; smooth. Passed out Waitapu, southbound.

Steamer Movements

SAN DIEGO, Calif., Jan. 31.—Arrived: Davenport, Tacoma; Katherine, Eureka; Tingard, Ensenada. Sailed: Forest King, Redondo; Davenport, Redondo; Katherine, Santa Barbara; Tingard, Ensenada.

TACOMA, Wash., Jan. 31.—Arrived: Dochra, New York; San Diego, San Pedro. Sailed: Cricket, San Pedro, via Seattle; Tiverton, San Francisco, via Everett.

PORTLAND, Ore., Jan. 31.—Arrived: Steel Age, Kobe; Willamette, San Francisco. Sailed: J. A. Moffett, San Pedro; La Purisima, San Francisco; Hawaiian, New York, Boston and Philadelphia, from St. Helens, Oregon; Callio, San Pedro.

SAN FRANSISCO, Jan. 31.—Arrived: Senator, Portland, C. A. Smith, Coos Bay; Carlos, Gray's Harbor; Avalon, Gray's Harbor. Sailed: Admiral Schley, Seattle; Arizonan, Seattle, Portland.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Arrived: Ships of Scotland, Southampton. Sailed: Stockholm, Gothenburg; Panhandle State, London.

Arrived

CHRISTIANIA, Jan. 26.—Stavangerfjord, New York.

PLYMOUTH, Jan. 31.—Noordam, New York for Rotterdam.

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Iowan, Seattle and San Francisco.

BORDEAUX, Jan. 25.—Honduras, San Francisco.

Sailed

SHANGHAI, Jan. 26.—Wheatland Montana, Seattle. Jan. 27—Hoosier State, San Francisco; Arizona Maru, Seattle.

HAMBURG, Jan. 26.—Mount Clinton, New York.

BUENOS AYRES, Jan. 30.—Vauban, New York.

KOBE, Jan. 25.—Sailed: Oregon Maru, Puget Sound.

HONGKONG, Jan. 26.—Sailed: Wenatchee, Tacoma.

ROTTERDAM, Jan. 27.—Sailed: Loch Katrine, Vancouver.

HONGKONG, Jan. 24.—Arrived: Ixion, Tacoma.

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 24.—Arrived: Tokiwa Maru, Tacoma.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 30.—Arrived: Fushimi Maru, Tacoma.

On the Atlantic

Asyria at New York from Glasgow.

Adriatic at Glasgow from New York.

America at New York from Bremen.

Carmania at New York from Southampton.

George Washington at Bremen from New York.

TIDES AT VICTORIA

February, 1922

Day	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't	Time	H't
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	6:37	3.8	13:43	6.2	18:41	3.8	23:44	4.7
2	7:03	6.5	13:41	3.4	18:18	6.4	23:46	3.3
3	7:36	3.3	14:34	6.3	20:11	4.1	23:56	5.7
4	.....	.....	3:05	4.7	13:20	4.7	.....	.....
5	.....	.....	8:23	3.8	16:21	4.1	.....	.....
6	.....	.....	9:00	9.0	17:09	3.4	.....	.....
7	.....	.....	9:31	9.2	17:53	2.6	.....	.....
8	.....	.....	10:16	9.4	18:40	2.2	.....	.....
9	.....	.....	11:17	9.4	19:34	1.8	.....	.....
10	4:42	2.6	7:13	7.6	12:22	9.4	20:07	1.5
11	3:49	8.8	8:13	7.3	13:23	9.3	20:49	1.6
12	4:03	8.3	9:04	6.5	14:19	9.1	21:31	2.0
13	4:28	7.6	10:03	5.9	15:14	8.6	22:14	2.5
14	3:06	8.6	10:37	5.4	16:13	8.0	22:57	3.5
15	5:43	8.7	11:55	4.9	17:24	7.4	23:40	4.4
16	.....	.....	6:21	8.3	12:57	4.1	19:03	6.3
17	0:32	6.4	7:01	8.9	14:01	4.0	20:44	6.7
18	1:04	6.4	7:43	8.9	15:04	3.7	.....	.....
19	.....	.....	4:22	3.9	16:04	3.4	.....	.....
20	.....	.....	9:03	8.4	17:30	3.2	.....	.....
21	.....	.....	9:48	8.7	17:51	3.1	.....	.....
22	1:40	5.4	3:18	6.2	10:43	3.8	13:34	3.0
23	4:08	3.4	7:30	7.9	11:40	3.4	19:23	3.0
24	4:29	3.3	6:07	7.6	13:36	3.3	20:03	3.0
25	4:42	3.3	6:42	7.6	18:24	3.3	20:40	3.2
26	4:04	3.0	3:18	6.4	14:08	7.8	21:15	3.4
27	4:14	3.1	9:54	6.1	14:52	7.6	21:46	3.3
28	4:28	3.1	10:31	5.8	15:36	7.4	22:18	3.3

The Time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish High Water from Low Water. Where two tides occur in the tables the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The Height is in feet and tenths of a foot, above the average level of lower Low Water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any tide, add 19.6 feet to the height of High Water as above given.

SUNRISE AND SUNSET

Time of Sunrise and Sunset (Pacific Standard Time), at Victoria, B.C., for the month of February, 1922.

Day	Sunrise	Sunset	Day	Sunrise	Sunset
1	7:44	5:10	15	7:21	5:34
2	7:43	5:11	16	7:19	5:35
3	7:41	5:13	17	7:17	5:36
4	7:39	5:15	18	7:15	5:38
5	7:37	5:17	19	7:14	5:39
6	7:36	5:18	20	7:12	5:41
7	7:34	5:20	21	7:11	5:42
8	7:32	5:22	22	7:09	5:44
9	7:31	5:24	23	7:07	5:46
10	7:29	5:26	24	7:06	5:47
11	7:27	5:27	25	7:03	5:49
12	7:26	5:29	26	7:01	5:51
13	7:24	5:31	27	6:59	5:53
14	7:22	5:32	28	6:57	5:55

The Meteorological Observatory, Gonzales Heights, Victoria, B.C.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

February, 1922

China and Japan

Empress of Asia—Mails close Feb. 2, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 14, due Hongkong Feb. 24.

Silver State—Mails close Feb. 4, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 16; due Hongkong Feb. 26.

Kashima Maru—Mails close Feb. 10, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama Feb. 23; due Hongkong March 10.

Pine Tree State—Mails close Feb. 18, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 2, due Hongkong March 12.

Montcalm—Mails close Feb. 16, 7 p.m.; due Yokohama March 7; due Hongkong March 17.

Arabia Maru—Mails close Feb. 22, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 10; due Hongkong March 24.

Suwa Maru—Mails close March 2, 4 p.m.; due Yokohama March 19, due Hongkong April 1.

Australia and New Zealand

Sonoma—Mails close February 4, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco (Australia only).

Makura—Mails close Feb. 11, 9 a.m.; direct.

Tahiti—Mails close Feb. 24, 4 p.m., via San Francisco.

Honolulu

February 2, 4, 5, 8, 12, 18, 19, 26, 4 p.m.; via San Francisco.

February 11, 9 a.m.; direct.

IF BACK HURTS USE SALTS FOR KIDNEYS

Eat less meat if Kidneys feel like lead or Bladder bothers.

Most folks forget that the kidneys, like the bowels, get sluggish and clogged and need a flushing occasionally, else we have backache and dull misery in the kidney region, severe headaches, rheumatic twinges, torpid liver, acid stomach, sleeplessness and all sorts of bladder disorders.

You simply must keep your kidneys active and clean, and the moment you feel an ache or pain in the kidney region, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good drug store here, take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and is harmless to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity. It also neutralizes the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is harmless; inexpensive; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink which everybody should take now and then to keep their kidneys clean, thus avoiding serious complications.

A well-known local druggist says he sells lots of Jad Salts to folks who believe in overcoming kidney trouble while it is only trouble. (Advt.)

KROONLAND HOVE TO IN ATLANTIC GALES

PLYMOUTH, Eng., Jan. 31.—Covered from stem to stern with ice and snow, the American liner Kroonland, from New York January 21, for Plymouth, Cherbourg and Antwerp, arrived here today after a tempestuous voyage. The Kroonland was hove to for ten hours last Tuesday, when she ran into a hurricane, and for nearly a week she was obliged to buffet continuous gales, while heavy seas frequently swept the decks. No accidents on board, however, were reported.

OVERDUE BARKENTINE IS BACK AT YOKOHAMA

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—The new Japanese barkentina Taiyo Maru which left Yokohama November 14 last for Vancouver, and was believed to have foundered, has turned up at Yokohama after an unsuccessful attempt to battle her way across the Pacific against a succession of gales and head winds.

EMPRESS SAILING OUT ON THURSDAY

Asia Will Clear for Oriental Ports—Mr. George Denny, Formerly of Victoria, Among Passengers

The Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Asia, Captain W. D. Douglas, will sail for the Orient on Thursday of this week. Among the passengers going out by the vessel will be Mr. George Denny, formerly of this city and at times associated with both The Times and The Colonist, and at the present time European manager of the Associated Press. He is going to the Orient to establish the Associated Press on a firmer footing in Japan, China and elsewhere along the Asiatic coast.

Other passengers will be Mr. Edwin S. Webster, of the firm of Stone & Webster, Boston, managers of public utility corporations, including the Puget Sound Power & Light Co., of Seattle; Isaac F. Marcosson, journalist; F. H. Fitzgerald, representing the Vacuum Oil Company; Dr. Dolores Rosario, daughter of Judge Rosario, of Manila; Madame Loydia Lipkowson-Bodin, pianist; J. E. De Becker, solicitor, of Toyko, and the only American to take out Japanese citizenship papers, and Hon. K. Keetsan Ou, charge d'affairs at the Chinese legation to Cuba.

CALIFORNIA PORT TO GREET H.M.S. RALEIGH

VENICE, Cal., Jan. 31.—The British cruiser Raleigh, commanded by Vice-Admiral Sir William Pakenham, will be welcomed by Governor William S. Stephens and Mayors S. L. Berkeley, of Santa Monica, and E. A. Gerety, of Venice, today for a six-day stay. A salute of twenty-one guns will be fired from an aeroplane.

The citizens and civic bodies of Venice, Santa Monica and Ocean Park will unite in entertaining the officers and men of the Raleigh, the entertainment beginning with a banquet tonight, when Admiral Pakenham and Governor Stephens will be the principal speakers.

PRINCESS MATOIKA DISABLED IN GALE

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—The liner Princess Matoika, which sailed for Danzig Saturday with 400 passengers aboard, had her steering gear disabled in a heavy gale and is returning to port, a wireless message said yesterday. Three tugs have been sent to meet her. The accident occurred 100 miles out at sea.

Among the passengers are 312 Polish orphans who were en route to Danzig after having spent a year in American charitable institutions.

LIGHTNING STRUCK WIRELESS APPARATUS

MARSHFIELD, Ore., Jan. 31.—The wireless apparatus on the SS. Admiral Rodman, arriving here today, was burned out at sea when struck by lightning. The apparatus was ruined, but nothing caught fire. The operator, George Wunderlich, was slightly burned and had a narrow escape.

Swedish Ship Disabled

HALIFAX, Jan. 31.—The Red Cross liner Rosalind, has the Swedish steamer Thyra, reported on Sunday disabled south of Cape Race, in tow, and is trying to make Halifax with the rudderless craft, according to a wireless message received here last night.

Grain Shipments Grow

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—Total export grain bookings through this port have reached the comfortable figure of 128,000 tons, or about ten times as much as the entire movement for last season. There will be additions to this total before the end of March, grain men say.

Events at Colwood

COLWOOD, Jan. 31.—The Colwood Women's Auxiliary will hold the monthly meeting in the Colwood Hall today, February 1, at 2.30.

Don't forget the hard times masquerade at the Colwood Hall Thursday, February 2, at 8.30. Two prizes; special music.

Drug Sellers Sent to Prison

VANCOUVER, Jan. 31.—Lee Sup, a Chinaman, was this morning sentenced by Magistrate South to five years' imprisonment for selling $2 worth of cocaine to a member of the police department. Joe Hoy sold 50 cents worth of cocaine to a white man and must serve 18 months imprisonment, and in addition pay a fine of $1,000.

For Dyspeptics Who Side-Step

Why Pass Up the Joy of Living When Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets Can Be Had Wherever There's a Druggist.

Many a man wanders aimlessly at meal time because he has food-fright.

A Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet would turn a dyspeptic back into his old stride and lead him promptly and straight into where he knows he wants to go but fears the result. Eat what you like and as much as you want, avoid gaseiness, belching, heartburn, drowsiness, by just the simple process of following meals with Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Get a 60 cent box today of any druggist and note the magic effect of a grill also at meal time. (Adv.)

News of Vancouver Island

METCHOSIN FARMERS WANT BETTER ROADS

District Institute Members Hear Messrs. Whitney Griffiths and R. H. Pooley on Problems of Communities

COLWOOD, Jan. 31.—The special meeting called by the Metchosin Farmers' Institute in the interests of better roads was held at the Colwood Hall last night, and was well attended.

Mr. C. Whitney Griffiths, president, took the chair and opened the meeting by outlining the objects of the Institute, mentioning that not only does the Institute attend to the agricultural part, but also to the social side, arranging dances, entertainments and debates. He added that the Institute is conducted by the support given in the form of subscriptions, and that as all the meetings are free, with refreshments to boot, he was sure that more members would still be forthcoming from the district.

Mr. Van der Byl, secretary, read the first resolution, which was that the meeting of the taxpayers of the districts concerned most earnestly make the request that the Provincial Government take immediate steps to pave the length of highway, which is two miles or more in length, with permanent material, such as concrete; for the break-up of the roadbed is so complete that it necessitates entire reconstruction, and therefore in the interests of economy and public welfare any attempt to repair or rebuild in any but a permanent manner would be a waste of public money.

Mr. Bosworth drew the attention of the meeting to the waste of time and money which had been spent on the hauling of gravel from the city by lorry, when it could have been taken from the Colwood gravel pit.

Mr. R. H. Pooley, M. P. P., was able to answer Mr. Bosworth satisfactorily on the gravel question, explaining that there is no facility in Colwood for washing the gravel.

Mr. Pooley went on to say that it had been the intention of Dr. King to pave a portion of the road this year; he was not able to state how much, but some paving was to be done, and that, if pressure was used, Mr. Pooley was sure that Dr. King's successor would see that the road should be partly done, if not all.

Judicious Pressure

Mr. Pooley further said that the only road worth travelling on in the district was the Sooke road, and that this was due to the way in which it was kept, there being always a patrol at work, and also to the fact that it was repaired during the Winter months, which is the only time to repair roads if any good results are required.

After this resolution had been carried unanimously, Mr. Van der Byl read the second resolution, which was that the meeting should urge the early consideration and commencement of such improvements in keeping with the importance of these roads, recommending above all things the proper ditching of all roads to drain off the water, which is almost wholly responsible every Winter for the serious break-up of these roads, it being the opinion of the meeting that until such times as a hard surface can be built, such as is existing in the Saanich district, the most economical plan is to properly drain them, and then put on patrol men to keep the holes filled and the culverts open. The resolution was carried unanimously.

Delegates To Be Selected

A resolution was passed that two delegates should be elected from each association in the district, and five from the meeting, who will interview the Premier and the Minister of Public Works regarding the above matters. The Automobile Association of Victoria and the Good Roads Association are also taking up the matter.

Mr. Griffiths then brought up the subject of greater production in the Province. He said that twenty-eight to thirty million dollars' worth of foodstuffs were yearly imported to the Province, which could be produced in British Columbia. He read a resolution to the effect that the meeting strongly urged upon the Government the immediate need of investigating the best means of amending the present situation, it being recommended that two types of loans be considered, the long term loans and the short term loans, and that permanent capital be provided entirely separate from all other funds, and that the capital for this purpose be raised in the Province in the form of debentures or through the medium of a Provincial savings bank under the Provincial Government.

Speaking to this resolution, Mr. Pooley stated that hundreds of loans had been applied for, but there were great difficulties in carrying out the schemes. British Columbia was being swamped with imported eggs, butter and milk, and there must be a tariff wall against the dumping. The resolution was carried.

The last resolution to be put to the meeting was that the attention of the Government be drawn to the present condition caused by the dumping of foodstuffs to the detriment of the farmers of British Columbia, and that the Government be asked to take such steps as would relieve the situation as soon as possible. This resolution was carried unanimously.

Coffee and sandwiches were served by Mrs. O'Neill, of Langford, and the successful meeting adjourned with a vote of thanks to Mr. Pooley.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, Jan. 31.—Many communications were read at last night's meeting of the City Council, six of which were from municipalities endorsing the resolution passed by the local Council regarding the inspection of dairy herds throughout the Province and asking that a sufficient appropriation be made to keep inspectors on the job. Amongst the municipalities heard from last evening were: District of West Vancouver, Coquitlam, Maple Ridge, the city of Victoria, Sullivan, and one or two others. With but one exception all the municipalities heard from have endorsed the resolution passed by the local Council in this matter.

A. D. Shibley, secretary of the Canadian Union of Municipalities, wrote pointing out that the E. & N. Railway Company had asked for an extension of time in the construction of the railway from Courtenay to a point near Douglas Bay and asking if the local Council had any objections to this request being granted. On motion the latter was referred to the Legislative Committee.

The W.B.A. of the local Review of Maccabees, at the conclusion of their regular lodge meeting last evening, witnessed a very pleasant ceremony to the members present when Mrs. Mathews, commander, presented a hand-painted berry bowl to Mrs. Carnelly, P.C., and gold bee to Mrs. Welch, L.C. Following the presentations, which were received by appreciative speeches of acceptance, a social evening was held by the members, comprising a whist drive and refreshments served in the banqueting room. The winners of the whist drive were: Ladies, first, Mrs. Somers; second, Mrs. Loblev; third, Mrs. Welch; gentlemen, first, Mr. Kennuir; second, Mr. Addison, third, Mr. Kirkbride.

PORT ALBERNI NEWS

PORT ALBERNI, Jan. 28.—The Ladies' Auxiliary of the G. W. V. A. held a very successful dance in the Hall last night.

The Police Commissioners, with a view to economizing, are considering some method by which the policing of the town can be done at a minimum cost, and with this end in view have approached the R. C. M. P. to ascertain if the detachment located here could handle the police work of the municipal area, exclusive of the Provincial statutes and municipal by-laws. If this could be arranged it would eliminate the necessity for a permanent police chief, and arrangements could be made for a special constable to administer all matters that were outside the scope of the R. C. M. P.

The Alberni Community League, which got away to a good start some time ago, has now entered on a campaign for new members, and also has in view the starting of a building fund. It is intended to give an entertainment every Friday night consisting of musical items, cards, discussion of literary subjects, etc., and in every possible way promote the ideals of community.

The census returns for 1921 show a population of 1,049 in the City of Port Alberni, and in the City of Alberni, including Beaver Creek, Sproat and Central Lakes, Cherry Creek, and Bainbridge, a total of 997.

It is proposed to hold an informal meeting of all interested in any branch of West Coast fishing in Port Alberni on Saturday the 4th prox. The object of the meeting is to ascertain on what points of suggested policy the cannerymen, fish salters and individual fishermen can agree, and on such matters as they do not agree to obtain from each section a definite statement of their views. The programme suggested is that the individual fishermen meet at 3 p.m., discuss all matters and appoint a committee, which committee will meet at 8 p.m. a committee appointed in the same way by the cannerymen and salters. All those interested in any way are requested to attend, as this is the first time that the individual fishermen have had a fair chance to have their case looked into and a representative at Ottawa who will endeavor to place the views of all parties, with a thoroughly practical knowledge of the subjects, before the Department. The meeting will be addressed by both A. W. Neill, Comox-Alberni, and R. J. Burde, M.P.P., Alberni.

The Gilroy McKay Lumber Company is considering operating a mill at Horne Lake, where they have some fine timber limits, and Mr. G. L. Ralston has just returned from a trip to the site on behalf of the lumber company.

The Court of Revision, consisting of the entire council, will sit on February 9, for the purpose of considering the assessment for 1922, hearing any appeals, and passing thereon.

The ladies of the G. W. V. A. Auxiliary purpose holding a masquerade dance on Valentine's Day, Tuesday, February 14.

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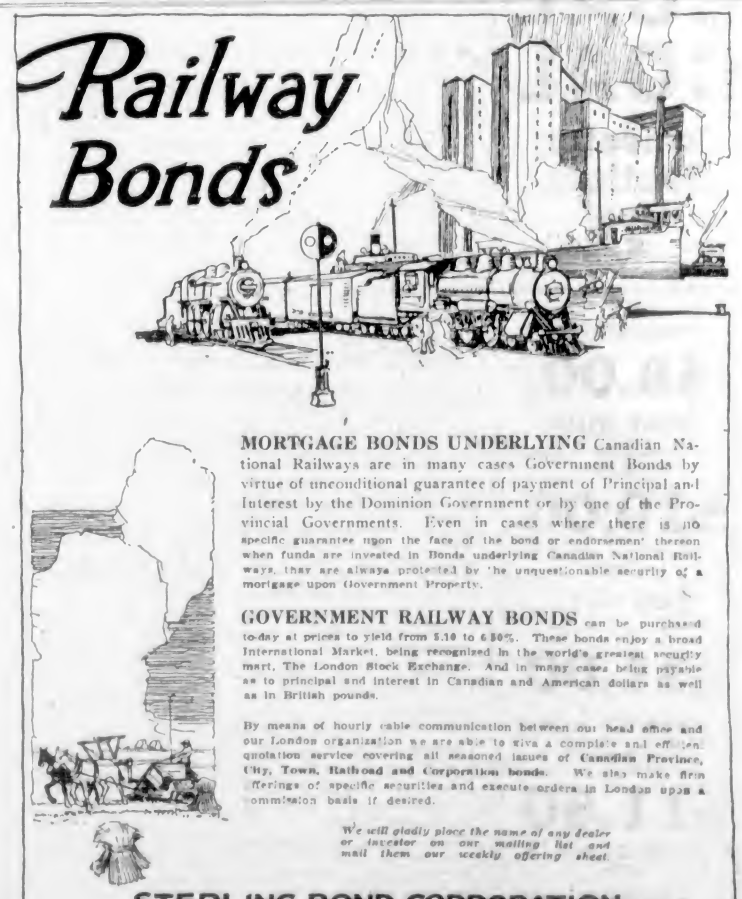

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The Screen

Capitol—"Saturday Night."
Columbia—"The Idol Dancer."
Dominion—"Rent Free."
Variety—"Prisoners of Love."
Royal Victoria—"The Battle of Jutland."

BATTLE OF JUTLAND RE-ENACTED ON FILM

Most Remarkable Reproduction of Gigantic Naval Struggle Off Coast of Denmark Shown at Royal Today

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The immense task of comparing all the logs kept by the gunnery officers of both the British and German fleets throughout every stage of the conflict, and then of re-enacting with models every move of every battleship, cruiser, destroyer and torpedo boat engaged, was done by Major-General Sir George Aston, K.C.B., for thirty-eight years a British naval officer.

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Among the exciting moments in "Stranger Than Fiction," Katherine MacDonald's latest release through Associated First National Pictures, Inc., and which will be shown at the Royal Victoria Theatre, commencing today, is a battle in the air, in which one of the contestants, with his parachute strapped to his back, leaps from the burning machine and is rescued by another airplane. It is probable that this stunt has never before been seen on the screen and it will probably be some time before it is duplicated.

Miss MacDonald is supported by a notable cast of players, among whom is Wesley Barry, who has the part of "Freckles," a street urchin, to whom the wealthy society girl takes a fancy and brings into her home.

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PRINCESS THEATRE REOPENS SHORTLY

New Stock Company Is Being Organized Under Management of Mr. Earl Moore Next Week

The Princess Players, a new stock company under the management of Mr. Earl Moore, will make their home at the Yates Street house, beginning with the opening performance on February 8.

Mr. Howard Foster, part owner and director, is already in Victoria, and the remainder of the company will arrive today. Mr. Foster will hold the first rehearsals immediately. There are ten members in the company.

Mr. Foster expressed pleasure in returning to Victoria after several years spent in California and Montana. Nine years ago he was director for the Williams Stock Company and also played with the Sullivan and Considine Company in vaudeville. Mr. Foster has been visiting about with the "boys" in theatrical circles and renewing old acquaintances. He has only recently completed an extended engagement at Great Falls, Montana, and coming to Victoria has undertaken at considerable expense and care to gather a competent and able company with the purpose to give Victoria a good, clean line of entertainments.

CAPITOL THEATRE Keats, the poet, said "A thing of beauty is a joy forever." If this be true, then "Saturday Night," Cecil B. De Mille's latest production, is destined to live long as a picture, because it is verily a thing of beauty—beauty that is rare, delightful as a Spring zephyr, sweet as the perfume of the rose. Many thousands of dollars were spent in order that this production should keep up to the De Mille standard of picture productions, and the picture shows that this expenditure was not in vain. An unusually clever cast of players was selected to take the different roles in the picture. Theodore Roberts, veteran of the silver sheet, is again seen in a role that shows his sterling abilities and famous character acting. Leatrice Joy, a pretty Canadian actress, is also finely cast in support of Conrad Nagel, star of many Paramount successes. Very seldom can a theatre announce a picture as beautiful and entrancing as "Saturday Night." It is a gleaming love story and a study of marriage problems of the finest quality. It will be on view all this week at the Capitol Theatre.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Efficiency has hit the churches. They want the kind of man and woman who can most effectively meet the heathen on his own ground and convince him he is wrong. Devoutness and desire were the only qualifications for a missionary in the past. Now the physical and mental attributes of the candidate are regarded as important as religious convictions. To get this sort of recruits publicists for the churches are disclosing the real dramatic lure of the profession. D. W. Griffith, the noted motion picture director, has prepared for the screen a story of romance and adventure surrounding the life of a missionary in a South Sea island under the title of "The Idol Dancer," which will be the attraction at the Columbia Theatre today. It is an idyl of primitive life as deliciously wholesome and entertaining as any story that has ever appeared on the screen.

VARIETY THEATRE Emory Johnson, who has an important role in Betty Compson's latest starring production, "Prisoners of Love," at the Variety Theatre this week, was an architect by profession when he decided to take up motion picture work. He was born in San Francisco and was educated at the University of California. He has played leads opposite Mary Pickford, Dorothy Dalton, Ethel Clayton, Constance Talmadge and other feminine lights of the screen, and was engaged by Miss Compson for her second starring production because of his excellent work in "Prisoners of Love."

DOMINION THEATRE In his new Paramount picture, "Rent Free," at the Dominion Theatre this week, Wallace Reid, the star, is seen as an artist. Prior to entering the film field Mr. Reid was an artist of ability, his work being confined chiefly to pen and ink drawings and cartooning for newspapers. In fact he is quite versatile, having been artist, reporter, night clerk in a hotel, worker on the Shoshone dam, vaudeville actor, author, playwright and editor of a motor publication. He is also a good musician and an expert motorist. Howard Higgin directed "Rent Free," which is filled with comedy and touches of pathos. Lila Lee is leading woman.

WILL GIVE ORGAN RECITAL TONIGHT

Miss Winifred Scowcroft Will Present Musical Programme in First Congregational Church

A grand organ recital will be given in the auditorium of the First Congregational Church, Quadra and Mason Streets, at 8:15 o'clock tonight by Miss Winifred Scowcroft, the church organist. Miss Scowcroft will be assisted by Mrs. Jesse Longfield, who will render several vocal solos, while Mr. Jesse Longfield will contribute violin selections and Mr. E. R. Lock will be heard in several songs. The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to the work of the church.

An excellent programme of music has been prepared for the recital, the various numbers being as follows: Organ "Marche Solennelle" (Mailly); vocal, "Hear My Cry, O God" (Rogers), Mrs. Jesse Longfield; organ, "Song of Consolation" (Rossetter G. Cole); vocal, "The Voice in the Wilderness" (Scott), Mr. E. R. Lock; violin, "Andantino" (Lemare), Mr. Jesse Longfield; vocal, "Supplication" (Blain Bean), Miss Morton; organ, "Brise D'Ete" (Sanderson); vocal duet, "Love Divine" (Stainer), Mrs. Longfield and Mr. Lock; organ, "Twilight" (Friml); vocal, "King David's Lament" (Swift), Mrs. Jesse Longfield; organ duet, "Postludium in D" (Renner), Miss Scowcroft and Mr. Longfield; "God Save the King."

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DAYLIGHT SAVING GETS ENDORSATION

Oak Bay Council Follows Chamber of Commerce's Lead — Receives Request to Pave Oak Bay Avenue

The Oak Bay Council on Monday night followed the lead of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce and endorsed the daylight saving plan, with Councillor Crease dissenting.

A request that Oak Bay Avenue be permanently paved was laid before the council. It was decided by that body that, in view of the street railway tracks being situated as they are at the present time, and as the present surfacing is still in good condition, the time was not opportune for such a move.

A request that a breakwater be built at Turkey Head, Oak Bay, for the protection of small craft was made of the council by Mr. E. L. Wood, in charge of the Oak Bay boathouse. A committee was appointed to look into the matter.

Dr. H. E. Young, Dr. Miller and Dr. W. P. Walker waited upon the council and explained the valuable work being done in the laboratory at the Jubilee Hospital and in the venereal disease clinic in the city, both of which institutions are supported by the Province, the city and adjoining municipalities utilizing their services. The deputation pointed out that it would pay Oak Bay to give an annual grant rather than pay for individual cases. The matter was referred to the finance committee. Requests from several organizations for grants were laid over to be considered with the estimates.

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Talks to Prospectors—In compliance with instructions from the Hon. Wm. Sloan, Minister of Mines, a series of four addresses will be delivered to prospectors and anyone interested in any manner in the mining industry, by Wm. M. Brewer, Resident Engineer, Western Mineral Survey District. The first of these addresses will be delivered in the Boardroom, Belmont House, corner Government and Humboldt Streets, on Wednesday, February 8, at 8 p.m. Subject of first talk, "The Prospector; Some Things Desirable to Know."

LOGGERS ARE ACTIVE

Renewed activity in the logging industry in the Comox district is reported by Rev. Thomas Menzies, Independent member for the Provincial riding of Comox, who returned to the city yesterday from a visit to his constituency and was a visitor at the legislative buildings during the afternoon.

The Comox Logging Company will resume operations following the shutdown from before Christmas. Two camps will be opened, calling for the employment of some 300 men. The I. T. Logging Company will also start up operations again, the member stated.

Of late there has been a renewal of activity among the logging concerns on the Mainland and with the advent of Spring the industry will speed up.

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BIRTHS

MARLOW—On the 28th inst., at Duncan, B.C., to Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Marlow, a son.

WILLIAMS—To Violet, wife of Cyril Stoate Williams, on January 31, at St. Joseph's Hospital, a daughter.

DEATHS

WARBURTON—On the 30th inst., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Barber, Wilkinson Road, William C. Warburton, aged 62 years, a native of Spotland, Eng., and a resident of Victoria for the past 18 years. He resided at 1785 Beach Drive, Foul Bay, and had many friends in this city, who will regret to hear of his demise. He is survived by his widow and one son, James, in Toronto, and two daughters, Mrs. Barber, Wilkinson Road, and Miss Audrey Warburton at home.
The funeral will take place from the Thomson Funeral Home on Thursday, Feb. 2nd, at 3 o'clock. Rev. Samuel Cook will officiate. Interment will be in Ross Bay Cemetery.

CRIDGE—On Sunday morning, January 29th, at her residence, Marifield, Government St., Victoria, Maude, youngest daughter of the late Bishop and Mrs. Cridge.
The funeral will take place Wednesday, Feb. 1st, from the residence, at 2 o'clock, and from the Church of Our Lord, R.E., at 15 minutes past 2.

STEVENSON—On the 31st inst., at the family residence, 3008 Pandora Avenue, there passed away William Thomas Stevenson, aged 16 years and 12 days, and a native of Halifax, N.S. He is survived by his parents and three sisters and two brothers.
The remains are reposing at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Thursday morning, February 2, at 9 o'clock, and fifteen minutes later mass will be celebrated at St. Andrew's Cathedral. Rev. Father Wood will officiate. The remains will be laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery.

LIDSTONE—On January 31, at the residence of his sister, Mrs. A. R. Nex, of 660 Montreal Street, Gilbert Lidstone, beloved husband of Mrs. Elizabeth Lidstone, aged 52 years, born in England, and a resident of this city for the past six weeks, formerly of Grindrod, B.C. The deceased is survived by, besides his widow, one son, Mr. Roy Lidstone, of Grindrod, three brothers, Thomas, of Grindrod, B.C., James, of Woodlake, B.C., John, of Laird, Ontario, and Albert Lindstone, residing at Sault Ste. Marie, Ontario.
The funeral will take place on Thursday, February 2, at 2 o'clock, from the Sands Funeral Chapel, Rev. W. J. Sipprell will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

PURVES—On January 31, at the residence of her son, Mr. F. W. Purves, of 3032 Jutland Road, Theresa Purves, beloved wife of Mr. John J. Purves, aged 71 years, born in Advocate, N.S., and a resident of this city for the past three years. The deceased leaves to mourn her loss a loving husband and four daughters, Mrs. A. B. Ring, Providence, R.I.; Mrs. H. C. Norwood, Calais, Me.; Mrs. C. F. Clare, Prince Albert, Sask.; Miss Nellie T. Purves, at home; also three sons, Mr. C. W. Purves, Inkerman, N.B.; Mr. F. W. Purves, Victoria, B.C., and Mr. J. Purves, Vancouver, B.C.; also thirteen grandchildren.
The funeral will take place on Friday, February 3, at 3 o'clock, from her late home. Rev. W. G. Wilson will officiate, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.
St. John, N.B., papers please copy.

PALMER—Thomas Palmer, ex-Deputy Chief of Police, Victoria, on January 28, 1922, dearly beloved husband of Kate Palmer; born December 18, 1864. He leaves to mourn his loss four daughters and three sons, Mrs. J. V. Meston, of Victoria; Mrs. D. Gill, Nanaimo; Darrell, of Los Angeles, Beverly, Kathleen, and Barbara, of Victoria, and brother James, residing at Esquimalt, B.C.; also three sisters and one brother in England, Mrs. Redmond, of London, Mrs. Asher Mountain, of South Ormsby, Lincoln, and Miss Hattie and Harry Palmer, of Boston, Lincoln.
The funeral will take place from the B.C. Funeral Chapel on Thursday, February 2, at 2 p.m., Rev. Dr. Maclean officiating. Service at the grave by Court Northern Light, A.O.F.
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CALEDONIA Hall, every Saturday, View Street; 8.30; Wallace's orchestra; 50c and 25c.

DANCE, Royal Oak Hall, Friday, Feb. 3. Parry-Thorne Orchestra. Flyer leaves opposite Dominion Hotel, 8.30.

MEMBERS of the Women's Auxiliary of the Amalgamated Veterans' Association are asked to meet at the B.C. Funeral Parlors at 1.45 o'clock, for the purpose of attending the funeral of the late Deputy Chief Palmer.

MOOSE Dance, Wednesday, Feb. 1st, K. of P. Hall, North Park Street, 8.30-11.30. Perry's orchestra. Gents 30c, ladies 25c. Whist, 8.30, 25c. Prizes, chickens, hams, sugar and canned goods. Special prize duck.

PRINCESS Patricia Lodge, Daughters of St. George, are meeting in the Victoria Club rooms, Campbell Building, on Friday.

ROYAL Antediluvian Order of Buffaloes. All old members wishing to join the above society kindly leave names and addresses at Thomson's Fish Store, 1421 Broad Street, Victoria, B.C.

THEOSOPHICAL Society, 101 Union Bank Building. Public meetings, Friday, 8 p.m., Sunday, 8 p.m. Library, 3 to 5, Monday, Thursday and Saturday.

THE Ladies' Guild to Sailors' Club, Esquimalt branch, hard times dance in Club, Thursday, Feb. 2nd. Tickets 25c. Refreshments. Perry's Orchestra, 8:30 to 11:15.

WHIST Drive, Sons of England Lodge Alexandria No. 116. Whist drive will be held in the A.O.F. Hall, Broad Street, Thursday, February 2, 1922, at 8.30 p.m. Everybody welcome. Good prizes. Members of Lodge Alexandra, S.O.E., are requested to attend the regular meeting at 7.45 p.m. in the A.O.F. Hall, Broad Street.

500 CARD party, Drake Hall, Douglas St., Feb. 1st, 8 p.m. Good prizes. Also ten bid.

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PENTICTON Hospital—Graduate nurse, with some experience of X-ray work, wanted; 30 beds, salary $65 first year, $70 second, and $75 third year. Duties to commence on 25th Feb. Applications, with copies only of testimonials, to be addressed to Secretary, Hospital Board, P.O. Box 74, Penticton, B.C.

WOMAN wanted for housework, half day daily for first week, one day a week after. Box 2998, Colonist.

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FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT 18

FOR Rent—Two furnished rooms, Oak Bay, near car line. Phone 6975R1.

FURNISHED rooms to let, also 3 room shack, furnished. Apply 841 View St.

FRONT bed-sitting-room, all conveniences, close in. 911 Blanshard.

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HOUSEKEEPING ROOMS TO RENT 19

ABERDOVEY—Nicely furnished housekeeping rooms. Phone 7202O. 818 Michigan Street.

CLEAN housekeeping rooms, furnished; adults. 1220 Yates.

CENTRAL comfortable furnished housekeeping room, adults only. 616 Elliott, between Parliament Bldg. and Douglas.

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WANTED TO RENT—FLATS AND APARTMENTS 22

LADY with boy of four, requires modern two-roomed apartment; good locality. Box 2967, Colonist.

FLATS AND APARTMENTS TO RENT 21

AT Bellevue Court, Oak Bay—Suite to rent. Phone 3758.

AT 860 Gorge Road, 6 minutes from Hudson's Bay, nicely furnished 1 and 3-roomed apartments, furnace heated, fireplace, garage.

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TO RENT—HOUSES 23

furnace heated $28.00
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525 SPEED Avenue, 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms; vacant February 1 ..... $22.50
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5 ROOMS, Linden Avenue. Phone 2229.

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2. 5 ROOMS, just off Quadra; all modern, $30. Will sell furniture and piano for $500.
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WANTED TO RENT—HOUSES 24

A COTTAGE, close in, or near a carline; would purchase the whole or a part of the furniture, etc., if cheap. Box 2216, Colonist.

WANTED—1 or 2-room shack, inside city limits. Phone 3793R.

WANTED TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 25

WANTED—To rent or lease a six-room furnished house, good location. Apply Box 2123, Colonist.

TO RENT—FURNISHED HOUSES 26

A FURNISHED 6-room modern bungalow to rent, $45, immediate possession, good district. No objection to children. Phone 4444L.

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FOR Rent, furnished—Fully modern 5-room bungalow, with garage. Phone 2845R.

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POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27

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FOR sale—Rhode Island Red roosters. 321 Niagara Street.

FOR Sale—Registered Pekingese, female, 10 months old. Phone 3747X.

POULTRY AND LIVESTOCK 27 (Continued)

FOR Sale—Thoroughbred Airedale pup, well trained to house; over distemper. Halley, Aldridge Street, Mt. Tolmie.

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AUTOMOBILES 28

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AUTOMOBILES 28 (Continued)

We are exclusive used car dealers

Here are a few of our exceptionally good buys in late model used cars

$250—CHEVROLET roadster, in excellent order. This car is a late model, and it has an excellent top, self-starter, and the motor runs very good. We can arrange very convenient terms on this excellent buy.

$485—FORD, 1920 model, in extra good condition. It has excellent tires, with a spare, a real good one-man top with a set of curtains, a set of shock absorbers, a special fitting steering wheel, windshield cleaner and other extras. The motor runs absolutely as good as new.

$350—FORD, 1919 model, 5-seater, in the very best of condition. This car has practically all new tires, and it runs equally as good as a new car. $150 cash, and the balance can be paid at $25 a month, will take it.

$325—CHEVROLET late model five seater in extra good running order. It has very good tires, an excellent top with a full set of storm curtains, a reliable self-starter and electric lights. The motor runs absolutely as good as new. We can arrange very convenient terms on this bargain.

$325—FORD roadster—This is a late model, and it has a detachable light delivery box on the rear. The tires are very good, and the motor runs first rate. $115 cash, and the balance can be paid in monthly payments of $23.

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$725—OVERLAND, model "80," 5-passenger, in beautiful condition, if you want a real good, strong, and economical family car, you could not do better than buy this one. $250 cash, and the balance at $40 a month will take it.

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LOST AND FOUND 32

BLACK bear fur lost Wednesday night, near Hillside Ave. Finder please phone 7470L1.

FOUND—A boy's bicycle. Owner can have same by identifying and paying for this ad. Phone 7570L8.

LOST—On Oak Bay Ave., Tuesday morning, black handbag, containing money. Finder please phone 7056R.

LOST, between Fairfield Road and Richardson Street, a ten dollar bill. Phone 3260.

LOST—Sunday, between Finlayson Street and First Presbyterian Church, oval-shaped gold brooch, hair insertion; keepsake. Finder please phone 5360L. Reward.

LOST—Saturday afternoon, in or near C. P.R. baggage room, brown leather purse, name inside, containing money. Finder will be rewarded. Mrs. S. Gorsor, Phone 4037O.

LOST AND FOUND 32 (Continued)

LOST—Gold locket containing two photos, initials P.E.F. Phone 5655. Reward.

LOST—A buffalo robe, Sunday noon, from off my car while waiting for Seattle boat. Would person finding same phone 4566L.

LOST—New Hudson bicycle Saturday, 28th. Owner, a returned soldier, needs it in business. Please phone 5222L.

WILL the boy seen taking a bicycle from the Arena Friday night please leave at 550 St. Patrick St., as the police saw him take it.

HOTEL DIRECTORY 33

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BOATS AND LAUNCHES 36

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Kitchen and separate pantry, all finished in heavy white enamel; bedrooms also in enamel, with roomy closets. Full, high, cemented basement; laundry rooms with tubs and furnace. Property has a frontage of about 90 feet, and is studded with oak trees. Suitable terms can be arranged. Exterior and interior of this bungalow in first-class condition, and one of the prettiest bungalows in this popular district. Close to sea and cars.

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330 Belmont House

$80 CASH and $80 a year for four years, will buy 10 acres of excellent farm land on Vancouver Island, close to Parksville, Coombs, or Dashwood Stations, on the E. & N. Railway.

Full particular from
VANCOUVER ISLAND FRUIT LANDS, LTD.
310 Belmont House

1 1-7 ACRE at Tetlow, North Saanich; $65, clear title. Phone 4373Y.

2¾ ACRES, fully planted to logans, raspberries and strawberries. 4-roomed house and barn, Gordon Head district, inside 4-mile circle; terms at $5,000.
MUTUAL REALTY
416 Sayward Bldg.

ACREAGE FOR SALE 42
(Continued)

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1 ACRE, all under cultivation, all excellent soil. Over half of the property is in tree and small fruit; balance of the property is being used for poultry. A very neat little bungalow, with large open fireplace; small barn and poultry houses. This property is situated close to the city. Price $2,100 cash. Terms may be arranged at an advanced price.

3½ ACRES, all good land, 2 acres under cultivation, balance in pasture. About 30 fruit trees and some small fruit. Modern bungalow of 3 rooms, first-class furniture, sewing machine, kitchen utensils, tools, etc. This is a going concern, and price includes 74 thoroughbred R.I. Reds, good young cow and one sow. Small barn, poultry houses for 300 birds. Taxes $14 per annum. City water laid on. Price $1,750.

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PEMBERTON & SON
Real Estate, Financial and Insurance Agents
Fort Street Victoria, B.C.

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Real Estate and Insurance Agent
Cowichan Station, E. & N. Rly.

ACREAGE WANTED 43

LISTINGS appreciated of fruit, small fruit, chicken ranch, dairying or any other acreage proposition. What have you to offer? Steel Realty Development Corporation, Ltd., Royal Bank Bldg.

PROPERTY FOR SALE 44

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CROSS & CO.

$150—ALMOST given away. A large lot in Dean Heights, near car and school.

$300—ST. LULIE STREET, Oak Bay, near car, school and sea. Just think of this—offered at this price.

$3750—A 7-ROOM bungalow in Oak Bay, near school, car and golf links; modern; has hot air furnace. Stands on large lot.

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See us about them. Go and see them for yourself and be convinced.
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Opposite P.O. Belmont House

PROPERTY WANTED 45

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FARMS WANTED 46

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PERSONAL 56

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LARGE and small tracts of timber, accessible to rail and water, for sale. Wise & Co., 103 Pemberton Bldg.

CORPORATION OF THE CITY OF VICTORIA, B. C.

Tenders for the Disposal of the E. & N. Railway Swing Bridge

Tenders addressed to the City Clerk, for the purchase of an existing Railway Swing Span will be received up to noon, March 6, 1922. Plan and specifications can now be obtained from the City Engineer.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

E. S. MICHELL,
Purchasing Agent
City Hall, Victoria, B.C., January 24, 1922.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS OF ESTATE

In the Matter of the Estate of Hanna Matilda Plaskett

Notice is hereby given that all creditors of and all persons having claims against the Estate of Hanna Matilda Plaskett, late of Harbinger Avenue, in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, who died at the said City of Victoria, on the 26th day of December, 1921, are hereby required to send by post, prepaid, or deliver to Joseph Austen Sayward, at 611 Sayward Building, Douglas Street, Victoria, British Columbia, on or before the first day of March, 1922, their Christian and surnames and addresses, with full particulars in writing of their claims and statements of their account and the nature of the security (if any) held by them, duly verified by statutory declaration.

And take notice that after the said first day of March, 1922, the said Joseph Austen Sayward will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which he shall then have notice, and that he will not be liable for the said assets or any part thereof so distributed to any person or persons of whose claim notice shall not have been duly received by him at the time of the said distribution.

Dated at Victoria, British Columbia, this 25th day of January, A.D. 1922.
JOSEPH AUSTEN SAYWARD,
Trustee and Executor of the Estate of Hanna Matilda Plaskett, deceased.
Per Elliott, Maclean and Shandley, Solicitors for Estate.

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Today, Feb. 1

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Bar Fittings, Glassware, Etc.

Including: 58-ft. Mahogany Bar, with Drain Boards, complete; 58-ft. Back Bar, with over 200 feet of Plate Glass Mirrors; 54-ft. Brass Rail and Supports, Palms, Clock, Mounted Pheasants, Scale, Electric Fan, Oak Roller Top Desk, Oak Arm Chair, 2 Oak Diners, Electric Desk Light, Norris Safe, Office Draperies and Brass Rods, Circular Cigar Stand Show Case and Fixtures, 2 Double Drawer "National" Cash Registers, 5 only 5-Cluster Electric Light Chandeliers and Shades, 5 Back Bar Drops and Shades, Lemon Squeezers, Corkscrews, 2 Electric Water Heaters and Connections, 2 10-Compartment Steam Radiators, 6 Kitchen Tables, 2 Arm Chairs, Wash Tubs, Store Truck, American Radiator Co. Furnace and Connections, 4 Stepladders, Demijohns, Hose, Electric Signs and Connections, and a first class lot of Glassware, etc.

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Today, 1:30 P.M.

Very Select Furniture and Furnishings

Including: Very fine 8-foot Overstuffed Chesterfield, Handsome Walnut Bookcase with Glass Doors, Drophead Sewing Machine, Fumed Oak Arm Chairs and Rockers, Lady's Oak Secretaire, Columbia Hornless Gramophone and Records, Oak Morris Chair, Oak Centre Table, Jap Screens, Extra Large Mirror, Pictures, Pedestal, Couches and Bed Lounges, Folding Card Table, Books, Very Good Sanitary Davenport, Round Fumed Pedestal Dining Table and set of 6 Dining Chairs to match, these are almost new; other Dining Tables and Chairs, Very Good Buffet, Electric Reading Lamp, Trunks, Carpets, lot of Good Linoleum, All-Brass Bed, Spring and Mattress, Oak Chiffonier, Mahogany, Oak and other Dressers and Stands, Very Good Single and Full Size Iron Beds, Springs and Mattresses, Chest of Drawers, Camp Cots, Bedroom Tables, Chairs and Rockers, Toilet Ware, Cedar Wood Chest, Bedroom Suite, Pillows, Flannelette Sheets, Very Good Monarch, almost new Majestic and Fawcett Ranges, Cook Stoves, Heaters and Parlor Stoves, Winchester Pump Gun, Gent's Bicycle, Baby Buggies and Go-Carts, Kitchen Cabinet, Kitchen Comforts, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Chairs, Cooking Utensils, Candy Jars, Scales, Crockery and Glassware, Oil Stove, Fire Basket, Washing Machine, Refrigerator, Counter, Lawn Mowers, Garden Hose, Garden Tools, Wheelbarrow, etc.

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MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 31.—Produce prices unchanged.
Butter, choicest creamery, 33c@34c.
Eggs, selected, 38c@39c.
Potatoes, per bag, car lots, $1.20@$1.25.

VEGETABLES SCARCE ON WHOLESALE ROW

Salt Spring and V.I. Milk Producers' Butter Falls—Citrus Fruits Are Quoted at High Prices

The vegetable market recorded a number of changes yesterday, although the other commodities on wholesale row were practically all firm at the last quotations published in these columns. A jump in the price of Australian brown onions has taken place, the onions having advanced from $5.50 to $7 a crate. Beets, which formerly stood at $1 a sack, have risen 25 cents a sack. California celery is up to $2 and $2.25 per dozen from $1.75 and $2. Carrots are quoted at the same price as beets, $1.25 per sack. Turnips have also experienced an advance of 25 cents. Parsnips have jumped from $1.35 to $1.60. Head lettuce, per crate, is now quoted at $5.50 and $6.50, 75 cents and $1 more than retailers had to pay for them on Saturday last. Oregon cauliflowers are quoted at $3.75 a crate.

Two variations in butter figures are noticed. The Vancouver Island Milk Producers' butter yesterday fell from 49 cents a pound to 44 cents. Salt Spring butter also dropped a notch. The Cowichan variety is firm at 49 cents, while the wholesale price of the Comox brand is 43 cents. Egg and cheese quotations are stationary.

There is still a shortage in the supply of citrus fruits. The sharp frosts in Southern California have been responsible for the scarcity of the fruits here, and the retailers are, accordingly, obliged to pay higher prices for their supplies.

Meat figures show no changes, while feed and flour prices are the same as those quoted three weeks ago. British Columbia white granulated sugar may now be had for $7.05 per 100, wholesale; with the yellow variety being priced at $6.80. The wholesale prices follow:

FRUIT, VEGETABLES, DAIRY PRODUCE

Butter—		
Cowichan		.49
Comox		.43
Salt Spring Island		.44
Hollywood, bricks		.36
New Zealand, bricks		.33
V. I. Milk Producers		.44
Australian		.33
Specials, Creamery, cartons		.35
Grade 1, Creamery, bricks		.34
Grade 2, Creamery, bricks		.32
Oleomargarine		.34½
Cheese—		
Ontario, solid		.22½
Ontario, twins		.23
Ontario, singles		.22½
Ontario, Stiltons		.28
B. C. Cheese, solids	.21	.28
Alberta	.21	.23
B. C. Cream, doz.		1.40
McLaren's Cream, doz., small		.60
McLaren's Kraft, Can., 5's		.12
McLaren's Kraft, Swiss, 5's		.47
Eggs—Market—		
B. C. New Laid, grade 1, per doz.		.38
New Laid, Pullets		.35
Fish—		
Haddies, 15-lb. box, lb.		.13
Kippers, 10-lb. box, lb.		.13½
Sablefish, smoked, 10-lb box, lb.		.16
Codfish Tablets, 20/1s, lb.	.16	.19
Potatoes—According to Quality—		
Locals		M.P.
Highland, ton lots		31.00
Vancouver Island, ton lots		30.00
Kamloops, ton lots		33.00
Lytton White, ton lots		37.50
Netted Gem, ton lots		42.50
Sweet Potatoes, Calif., crts., per lb.		.07½
Sweet Potatoes, Calif., lugs, per lb.		.35½
Onions—		
Australian Brown, crts.		7.00
Vegetables—		
Artichokes, Globe, per doz.		M.P.
Beets, per sack		1.25
Celery, Calif., doz.	2.00	2.25
Carrots, per sack		1.25
Cucumbers, Calif. H.H.		M.P.
Turnips		1.25
Parsnips		1.60
Parsley, Calif., doz.		.70
Cauliflowers, Calif., per crt.	2.00	2.40
Cauliflower, Oregon, flat crt.		3.75
Cabbage, local		M.P.
Cabbage, Winningstadt	.06	.07
Hothouse Lettuce, per crt.	.80	1.18
Head Lettuce, per crt.	5.50	6.50
Garlic		M.P.
Tomatoes, local, hothouse, imported, lugs		M.P.
Imported, per basket		M.P.
Green Bell Peppers		M.P.
Fruits—		
Grapes—Packed in Sawdust—		
Almeria, kegs		9.25
Red Emperor, lugs, per lb.		
Red Emperor, kegs		7.25
Apples, Okanagan, according to size and grade—		
Jonathans	1.20	2.60
Wagner	1.50	2.65
Northern Spy		2.30
Spitzenberg	2.85	3.20
Lemon Pippin	.75	2.20
Canada Renette	.85	2.00
Delicious, No. 1's only		3.50
Apples, local, according to size and grade:		
Kings	1.40	2.00
Grimes Golden	.75	2.20
Cranberries—		
1-8 bbl. boxes		M.P.
Less box lots, per lb.		M.P.
Oranges—		
Japanese, per bdl. (2 boxes)		1.00
Navels—		
Extra Fancy	6.25	6.50
Sunkist	6.00	6.25
Extra Choice	5.55	5.75
Lemons—		
Sunkist		6.25
Choice		5.75
Bananas—		
4-basket crates		.08
Per lb., city delivery		M.P.
Per lb., crated		.12
Baskets, 1 doz. each		.45
Grapefruit—According to size—		
California	3.00	5.50
Florida, according to size		6.15
Honey—		
New, 24 13½-oz. combs, per case		10.00
New, 24 11-oz. combs, per case		8.10
Figs—		
New, Calif., according to size	1.45	4.15
Dates—		
New Hallowi, bulk		.12½
New Sair, bulk		To arrive
New Dromedary, per case		6.50
Tropic, 48/8 per c/o		7.00
Raisins—		
New Calif., cartons 30/1 c/o		4.00
New Calif., cartons 10/3		4.50
New Calif., layers, 5's		1.36
New Malaga Raisins, 20/1s	2.75	3.00
Nuts—		
Almonds, per lb.	.12	.22
Brazils		M.P.
Filberts		M.P.
Walnuts, No. 1 late	.30	.42
Chestnuts	.25	.36

FLOUR

	Per 49-lb. Sack
Purity	$3.35
Royal Standard	3.05
Wild Rose (Pastry)	2.85
Royal Household	3.30
B. & K. Flour	3.30
Five Roses	3.30
B. & K. (Pastry)	3.20
Paragon Bread Flour	3.26
Velvet Pastry Flour	3.00

SUGAR

B. C. Refinery—	
White, per hundred	7.05
Yellow, per hundred	6.80

FEED

	100 lbs	Per Ton
Barley	$2.10	$40.00
Gr. Barley	2.22	42.00
Corn	2.10	42.00
Cracked Corn	2.30	44.00
Oil Cake	3.33	63.00
Feed Cornmeal	2.30	44.00
Oats	1.80	34.00
Gr. Oats	1.80	36.00
Scratch Food	2.20	42.00
Wheat, No. 1 feed	2.50	60.00
Wheat, No. 2 feed	2.30	43.00
Bran	1.50	28.00
Shorts	1.60	30.00
Alf. Meal	2.35	46.00
Poultry Mash	2.22	40.00
Pig Feed	1.70	33.00
Oat Feed	2.00	18.00
C. N. Cake	2.30	43.50
C. N. Meal	2.40	46.50
Soy Bean Meal	3.65	73.00
Gluten Feed	3.60	70.00
Cottonseed Meal	3.35	63.00
Beef Scraps	6.70	.....
Oyster Shell	2.00	38.00
Gr. Bone	5.00	.....
Hay, Timothy and Clover	1.35	23.00
Alfalfa Hay	1.50	29.00
Straw	1.00	18.00

WHOLESALE MEAT PRICES
No special brands quoted

Pork		.17
Beef, No. 1 steers		.12
Lamb		.28
Hams	.31 to	.33
Lard	.14½ to	.16
Veal		.20
Bacon	.30 to	.41

WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET

WINNIPEG, Jan. 31.—An easier tone was evident on the local wheat market today and prices generally throughout the session were off about one cent. Trading in the pit was of fair volume during the first hour, after which it became very quiet. Efforts to take profits on the bulge of the past few days had a somewhat depressing effect. Futures closed with a loss of from 1c to 1⅛c.

Cash wheat experienced a quiet session. Offerings were larger than the demand, with a consequent easier tendency to the premiums, which were unchanged to ⅛c lower.

Future coarse grains showed very little change. Prices remain steady, fluctuating in sympathy with wheat. Trade volume in both cash and futures was extremely light. Inspections totalled 713 cars.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	114⅛	114⅝	113⅛	113⅛
July	112	112	111⅛	118
Oats—				
May	46⅛	46⅛	45⅝	45⅝
July	45⅛	45⅝	45	45
Barley—				
May	58⅝	58⅝	58⅛	58⅛
Flax—				
May	188⅝	199⅝	186⅛	186⅝
July	125⅛			198⅛
Rye—				
May	90	90⅛	89⅛	89⅛

Cash prices: Wheat—1 hard, 119⅛; 1 nor, 118⅛; 2 nor., 115⅛; 3 nor., 103⅛; No. 4, 98⅛; No. 5, 90⅛; No. 6, 82⅛, feed, 77⅛; track, 117⅛.
Oats—2 cw., 44⅛; 3 cw. and extra 1 feed, 41⅛; 1 feed, 40⅛; 2 feed, 36⅛; rejected, 36⅛; track, 41⅛.
Barley—3 cw., 55⅛; 4 cw., 51⅛; rejected, 40⅛; feed, 44⅛, track, 55⅛.
Flax—1 nwc., 131, 2 cw., 187, 3 cw. and rejected, 161⅛; track, 191.
Rye—2 cw., 86⅛.

VICTORIA STOCK EXCHANGE
(By F. W. Stevenson, 102 Pemberton Bldg.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Athabasca Oils		.15
B. C. Fishing Co.	30.00	
B. C. Permanent Loan	89.00	
B. C. Refining Co.	35	45
Boundary Bay Oil		.02⅛
Bowena Copper		10
Canada Copper	20	
Can. Nat. Fire	45.00	
Cons. M. and S.	18.00	21.00
Cork Province		10
Crow's Nest Coal		64.00
Douglas Channel	01½	05
Empire Oil		08
Granby	29.00	
Great West Perm.	40.00	
Howe Sound	2.60	2.75
Int'l Coal		22½
McGillivray	45	
Nabob	02½	04
Nugget	04½	07
Pacific Coast Fire	4.00	
Pitt Meadows		0t
Rambler-Cariboo	04	
Silversmith	26	
Silver Crest		.04
Snowstorm	.04½	
Spartan Oil		.01½
Standard Lead		12
Sunloch Mines		28
Surf Inlet	26	29
Stewart M.		.20
Stewart Land		10.00
Trojan Oil	.04½	06½
Whalen, com.		12.06
Whalen, pfd.		26.08

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

TORONTO, Jan. 31.—Latest prices for Victory and War Loans are:

Victory Loan, 5½%	
Dom. Tax Free, 1920	99⅛
Dom. Tax Free, 1926	66⅛
1924	68⅛
Dom. Tax Free, 1927	101⅛
Dom. Tax Free, 1933	102⅛
1934	86⅛
Dom. Tax Free, 1937	104⅛
War Loan, 5%	
Dom. Tax Free, 1925	87⅛
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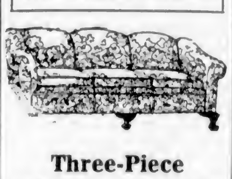

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Pool Manipulation Resisted by Professional Bear Element—U.S. Steel Issues Are Firm and Dull

NEW YORK, Jan. 31.—Stocks drifted during the greater part of today's session, fluctuations apparently representing the conflicting views of pools and the professional element. Such issues as American Ice, Gulf States Steel and Kearsarge, at gains of 3½ to 4½ points, were the strong features, together with a few miscellaneous specialties. Motors, sugars, tobaccos, chemicals, textiles and utilities were under further pressure, sustaining extreme loss of 1 to 2½ points. Consolidated Gas rose briskly in the later dealings on payment of the dividend deferred from last week.

United States Steel was dull throughout, its course indicating confidence in the maintenance of the common dividend. Publication of the corporation's earnings for the final quarter of 1921, after the close of the market, showed a gain of slightly less than $700,000 over the preceding quarter.

Sales were 400,000 shares.

Shifting of bank reserves in anticipation of February payments caused a stiffening of time funds, the five per cent rate ruling for the longer dates. All call loans were made at five per cent, and in private at a shade under that quotation.

British and French exchange lost a part of yesterday's sharp advance; other Allied remittances were firm.

Trading in bonds fell away to a marked extent. There was active trading in the new Burlington $30,000,000 issue, and the low grade rails were mixed. Foreign government bonds closed with a firm tone. Total sales, par value, $14,875,000.

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All Fractions in Eighths

Stock—	High.	Low.	Close.
Allis-Chalmers	43	42	43
Am. Can Co., com.	37-1	36-4	37-1
Am. Car Fdy.	145-6	144-4	145-1
Am. In. Corp.	41	40-3	40-3
Am. Locomotive	106	104-4	105
Am. Smelt. & Ref.	45-7	44-4	44-4
Am. Sugar Rfg.	66-3	66-0	61-6
Am. T. & Tel.	117	116-7	117
Am. Wool, com.	81-5	80-1	80-4
Am. Steel Fdy.	77-4	74-4	74-6
Am. Sum. Tob.	28-4	29	29
Anaconda Mining	47-3	47-1	47-2
Atchison	85-7	92-6	83-7
Atlantic Gulf	26-2	24-4	23-2
Baldwin Loco.	92-1	24-6	86
Bethlehem Steel	60	69-1	60
Canadian Pacific	123-2	123-3	122-3
Central Leather	31-3	31-3	31-3
Crucible Steel	60-4	53-4	63-4
Chesapeake & Ohio	53-4	55-3	55-4
Chic., Mil. & St. P.	17-4	17-3	17-4
Chile Copper	16-7	16-4	16-7
Corn Products	103-2	101-2	101-2
United Food	5-0	2-3	5-6
Gen. Motors	8-3	8-3	8-2
Gt. Nor. Ore	31-0	31-4	31-6
Granby	23-4	27-2	27-3
Gt. Northern, pfd.	73-3	72-5	72-0
Inspiration Cop.	38-3	38-2	36-2
Int'l Nickel	13-2	13	12
Int'l Mer. Marine	10-2	13	10-2
Int'l Mer. Marine, pfd.	69-2	67-7	69-3
Kennecott Copper	28	27-5	27-6
Lehigh Valley	67-0	27-0	67-0
Lack. Steel	45-4	45-2	43-4
Mex. Petroleum	111-2	109-3	111-2
Miami Copper	27-2	27-2	27-2
National Lead	90-1	22-4	90-1
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	16-2	15-7	16-2
New York Central	74	73-7	74
Northern Pacific	77-2	76-3	76-7
Nevada Cons. Copper	14-4	14-3	14-4
Ohio Gas	30-6	30-5	30-5
Pennsylvania R. R.	34-4	34-3	34-4
Pressed Steel Car	63-4	63-3	63-4
Reading	71-3	71-4	73-2
Ray Cons. Mining	14-3	14-1	14-0
Republic Steel	50-4	50	50-4
Sin. Oil	18-2	18-7	18-2
Southern Pacific	80-7	83-5	83-0
Southern Ry., com.	19	18-7	18
Studebaker Corpn.	88-4	87-5	88-2
The Texas Company	44	43-7	44
Union Pacific	128-5	126-3	126-3
Utah Copper	62-4	63-1	63-2
U. S. Ind. Alcohol	43-1	42-2	43-1
U. S. Rubber	63	62-7	33-7
U. S. Steel, com.	86-3	83	65
Virginia Chem.	29-6	29-5	26-4
Western Union	88-4	88-3	90-4
Wabash R. R., "A"	18-1	16	13-2
Willys-Overland	5-1	6	6-1
Westinghouse Elec.	51	53-6	51

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Stock—	Close
Bell Telephone	107
Brazilian Trac.	29-4
Can. Cement, com.	61
Can. Cement, pfd.	88-4
Can. Car Fdy., com.	18-1
Can. S. S., com.	16-4
Can. S. S., pfd.	42-0
Can. Cottons	80
Asbestos Corp.	48-4
Abitibi	08-1
Cons. M. & S.	18-4
Detroit United	70
Dom. Bridge	82
Dom. Canners	86
Dom. I. and S.	27
Dom. Textile	185
Dominion Glass	24
Laurentide Co.	74
Montreal Power	84-5
Lyall	32-4
Atlantic Sugar	26
National Breweries	55-3
Ontario Steel	36
Penmans, Ltd.	88
Riordan Paper	4
Shawinigan	100
Spanish Riv. Pulp	64-1
Spanish Riv. Pulp, pfd.	71
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FOREIGN BONDS
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	Bid	Asked
Russian 6½'s, 1921	17½	19½
Russian 6½'s, 1926	4	6
Russian 6½'s, 1910	17½	19½
French 6's of 1961	68	61
French 4's of 1917	46½	30½
French 5's of 1920	78	74½
British 5's of 1922	87½	89½
British 5's of 1927	87	89
British 5's of 1928	84½	64½
Victory 4's	78½	71½
British Ref. 4's	66½	69½
Belgium Restor. 5's	86	71
Belgium Premium 5's	72	79
German War Loan	3½	4½
Berlin 4's	4	4½
Hamburg 4's	4½	0½
Hamburg 4½'s	4½	0½
Leipzig 4½'s	6	6½
Leipzig 5's	5½	7
Munich 4's	5	6½
Munich 5's	6	7½
Frankfort 4's	5½	6½
Japanese 4's	73½	74
Japanese 1-2 ½'s	87½	37½
Japanese 3-4 ½'s	36½	31
U. K. 5½'s, 1922	101½	101½
U. K. 6½'s, 1937	93½	93½

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET
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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	118-4	119-7	116-2	116-1
July	104-0	100	102-4	106
Corn—				
May	36-1	64	52-0	63-6
July	56	66	55-0	15-0
Oats—				
May	36-7	39-2	38-7	39
July	40-2	40-2	39-7	49

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A Three-Piece Suite, consisting of settee, arm chair and rocker. They have walnut frames, well polished, and covered in a brown shade. Regular $125.00. On sale at **$62.50**

A Three-Piece Parlor Suite, with heavy quartered oak frames, in golden finish. They are fitted with loose auto spring cushions, covered with excellent grade tapestry. Regular $135.00. On sale at **$67.50**

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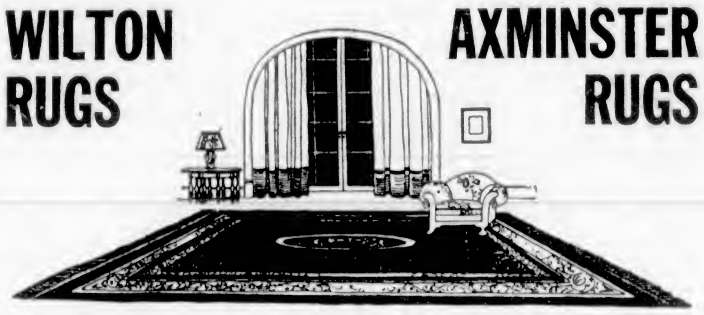

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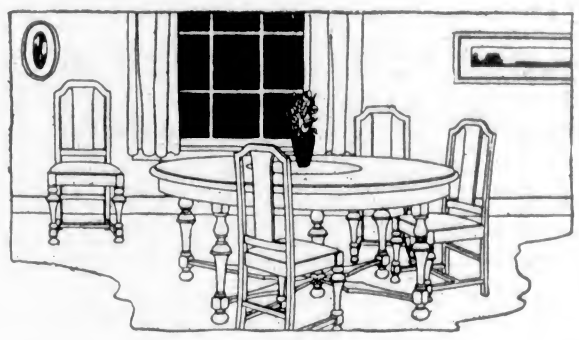

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A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite, Queen Anne design. Regular value $813.00. On sale now at **$406.50**

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A 10-Piece Black Walnut Suite, Old English design. Regular $1,690.00. On sale at **$980.00**

A Nine-Piece Black Walnut Suite, Chippendale. Regular value $900.00. Now on sale at **$450.00**

A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite, William and Mary period. Regular $475.00. Now on sale at **$287.50**

Nine-Piece Quartered Oak Suite, Early English finish. Regular $640.00. Now on sale at **$320.00**

Eight-Piece Walnut Suite, Queen Anne design. Regular value $500.00. Now on sale at **$250.00**

An Eight-Piece Walnut Suite, William and Mary period. Reg. value $290.00. Now on sale at **$145.00**

Nine-Piece Walnut Suite, Queen Anne design. Regular $542.00. Now on sale at **$271.00**

A Nine-Piece Walnut Suite, William and Mary period. Regular $675.00. Now on sale at **$338.50**

10-Piece Black Walnut Suite, Italian design. Regular value $1,350.00. Now on sale at **$675.00**

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—Furniture, 2nd Floor

Quoting Very Low Prices on High-Grade Mattresses

In order to lower our great stock of Mattresses, considerably we are offering wonderful values during the February Sale.

"Spencer's" De Luxe Mattresses, made with full roll edge and covered with high-grade art ticking; is 50 lbs. in weight, 4 ft. 6 in. wide; and being sold at, each **$17.40**

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Java Floss Mattresses, that assure a soft, springy bed for those who wish it. They are full weight, well finished and in sizes 3 ft. 3 in.; 4 ft. and 4 ft. 6 in. On sale at **$13.35**

50 All-Felt Mattresses, made of excellent grade cotton and covered with an attractive ticking; 4 ft. 6 in. size. On sale at, only **$6.90**

50 Felt Mattresses, built in layers and guaranteed not to lump. Covered with excellent grade ticking and offered at **$7.95**

25 White Felt Mattresses, made of pure cloth, in layers and guaranteed not to lump. They are covered with an exceedingly good art ticking, and offered at, each **$9.50**

—Bedroom Furniture, 2nd Floor

Brussels Rugs $18.75 Each

10 Only, Brussels Rugs, size 6 ft. 9 in. x 7 ft. 6 in.; in a fine range of design and coloring. Values up to $27.50. February Sale price, each **$18.75**

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A Five-Piece Grey Enamel Suite, consisting of bed, dresser, dressing table, chiffonier and bench. Regular $290.00. Now on sale at **$145.00**

A Four-Piece Mahogany Suite, consisting of panel bed, dressing table, dresser and chiffonier. Reg. $336.00. Now on sale at **$168.00**

Seven-Piece Walnut Suite, dresser, chiffonier, dressing table, bed, chair and rocker. Regular $350.00. On sale **$175.00**

A Five-Piece Suite of Curly Birch, consisting of full panel bed, chiffonier, dressing table, a dresser and chair. Regular $360.00. Now on sale at **$180.00**

A Four-Piece Burl Walnut Suite, consisting of full size bed, chiffonier, dressing table and large size dresser. Regular $550.00 value. On sale for **$275.00**

A Five-Piece Walnut Suite, bed, dresser, dressing table, cheffonette and bench. Regular $305.00. On sale at **$152.50**

A Five-Piece Grey Enamel Suite, bed, chiffonier, dresser, chair and rocker. Regular $390.00. On sale at **$195.00**

7-Piece Circassian Walnut Suite, with extra large dresser, chiffonier, dressing table, bedside table, somno, chair and rocker. Regular $625.00. On sale for **$312.50**

7-Piece Walnut Suite, dresser, chiffonier, dressing table, bench, chair, rocker and bed. Regular $580.00. On sale at **$290.00**

8-Piece Ivory Suite, consisting of low-foot bed, dresser, chiffonette, dressing table, night table, bench, chair and rocker. Regular $864.00. On sale at **$432.00**

4-Piece Walnut Suite, consisting of dresser, dressing table, chiffonette and full panel bed. Regular $388.00. On sale for **$194.00**

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Colored Bordered Scrims, 26 inches wide, in shades of old rose, primrose and green. On sale at, a yard, only ..... **10¢**

Colored Border Scrim, 36 inches wide, in beautiful designs and fine colorings; on white, cream or ecru. At, a yard, **22¢**

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—Drapery Dept., 2nd Floor

Scranton and Scotch Lace Nets at Bargain Prices

Scotch Nets, 36 inches wide, with plain or scalloped borders. Values to 45c. On sale at, a yard **29c**

Scranton Filet, 36 inches wide, and Scotch All-Over Nets of fine grade and newest styles; plain and lace edges. Regular 65c. On sale at, a yard **45c**

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